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BETTER FAT STOCK PRICES

INCREASE ON 1ST OF DECEMBER

THE British Ministry of Food will further increase their prices for Irish fat cattle by a halfpenny per 11b. on December 1, an "Irish Times" reporter learned yesterday.

THE NEW PRICE

During the week-end it was announced by the Department of Agriculture that, as from to-day, the price payable by the British Ministry would be at the rate of 10½d. per pound for carcases graded Class A—an increase of three farthings in the price already announced in respect of the period October 6 to November 16. The increased price will not apply to any other classes of animals, nor to dressed beef.

For the present only fat bullocks and fat heifers are being accepted. No arrangements have been made for fat cows or bulls, in-calf cows and heifers or milch cows. It is hoped, however, to make arrangements for the export of the three last named classes at an early date

PORTS OPEN TO-DAY

A prominent member of the cattle trade stated last night that, if producers will now play their part, exercise a little patience and not rush their cattle to market, there is no reason why all the cattle on hands should not be cleared while still in good condition. In fact, it would be to the benefit of anyone, who could afford to do so, to hold their stock until December 1, when the further increase comes into effect.

He pointed out, however, that not everybody could afford to do this, but there was every likelihood that the available fat stock would be cleared while in good condition.

The port will be open for the export of fat cattle from to-day, and for stores from next Monday. The numbers exported, the *Irish Times* reporter was informed, will depend on the shipping available, but no real difficulty is anticipated in this respect. The price of fat cattle from to-day will represent an increase of from 30s. to 50s. per head, according to the weight of the beast.

HEAVIER EXPORTS

For some weeks past about 7,000 beasts from areas north of the Grand Canal have been exported every week from Dublin. These have been slaughtered at the port of entry. From now on, however, this figure will be increased considerably, and, instead of being slaughtered at the port of entry, the cattle will be allowed inland for killing at approved abattoirs.

Five hundred cattle will be exported from Waterford on Thursday next. This port has been selected because it serves a large beef-producing area in the South.

All cattle exported, of course, will come from places outside the scheduled area.

AXIS CITIZENS TO LEAVE AFGHANISTAN

PESHAWAR, Sunday.—German and Italian nationals are to leave Afghanistan, according to Kabul Radio. The Government of Afghanistan has accepted the offer of the British Government for the safe transit of the Germans and Italians via India, Iraq and Turkey to their respective countries. The announcer said that it had been the special endeavour of the Government to see that foreign elements did not in any way infringe Afghanistan's neutral attitude.—(Reuter.)

STATE OF SIEGE IN MOSCOW

GERMANS CAPTURE TOWN OF TAGANROG

M. STALIN, as Chairman of the Soviet Government Committee of Defence, issued a decree this morning proclaiming a state of siege in Moscow.

The decree, broadcast by Moscow Radio, says this measure has been taken "to assure the defence of Moscow and the strengthening of the rear of the forces defending Moscow, as well as to stop the underground activities of spies, diversionists and other agents of German Fascists."—(Reuter.)

Russian and German reinforcements are being hurled into the battle for Moscow. The Russian communique yesterday spoke of "particularly fierce fighting in the western direction of the front," while the German High Command stated that between the Sea of Azov and the Donetz "the pursuit of the beaten enemy continued successfully," and that the harbour and town of Taganrog, 65 miles to the east of Mariupol, had been captured.

A new line of defence is being constructed along the roads leading to Moscow, and tens of thousands of workers are aiding in the building of fortified positions.

Moscow claims that Soviet airmen destroyed, in eight days, 127 tanks, 167 lorries, loaded with soldiers and munitions, and many guns in the Vyasma sector alone, and in the same period shot down 41 German 'planes in air battles.

The Germans claimed yesterday that in the double battle of Vyasma and Briansk they captured 657,948 prisoners, 1,241 tanks and 5,396 guns, and that incalculable quantities of war material were captured or destroyed.

The news that Russian troops had launched a counter-thrust on the right flank—Kalinin sector—of the central front was announced by Moscow radio yesterday morning. The broadcast admitted that on the left flank of the Vyasma sector the Germans, at the cost of heavy losses, succeeded in driving a wedge into the Russian positions.

Fresh German panzer units are arriving in the central sector of the front, according to the German radio. Fighting is particularly heavy between Kalinin and Moscow and west of Moscow near Mojaisk. "German dive-bombers are constantly attacking Soviet fortifications along the outer defences of Moscow," the announcer added.

The Rumanian Air Force claims to have attacked a Soviet convoy on Saturday in the Black Sea. Eight ships carrying troops were sunk, including a ship of 15,000 tons, it was stated.

NEW DEFENCE LINE

LONDON, Sunday.—Siberians and Mongolians are among the reinforcements now arriving on the central front according to the Soviet author, Alexei Glebov, broadcasting over Moscow Radio to-day. He spoke of "powerful fresh reinforcements," which he had seen marching to the front along the road leading from Moscow to Mojaisk.

Russian counter-attacks, supported by tanks, on the central front are mentioned by the German Radio to-day. "The Bolsheviks offered stiff resistance in their fortified positions against an attack of a German infantry division on the central front yesterday," said the broadcast. "The German troops, however, successfully broke the enemy resistance. A company of the S.S. captured forty fortified Soviet strongholds in hand-to-hand fighting during the day. At some points the Bolsheviks made counter-attacks supported by tanks, but they were invariably repulsed. They suffered heavy losses."

MOSCOW, Sunday.—"A new line of defence is being constructed along roads leading to the capital," says the Soviet News Agency. "Within a few days the Moscow suburbs have undergone a thorough transformation. The breath of the front is strongly felt here.

"Lorry columns with ammunition and motorised infantry are moving in an endless stream along the highway to the front. Wherever the building of fortifications is already completed anti-tank guns are being installed and machine-gunners are taking up their positions. Tens of thousands of the working people of the capital by self-less labour are building fortified positions for the Red Army. Within a few days they are accomplishing work that would have required several months in former times."

"Army exterminating squads" are now being used by the Soviet forces, according to *Red Star*. The aim of these squads is to cause panic by a sudden attack, and then seize documents, ammunition and equipment, and to exhaust enemy man power and war material. Attacks are mainly carried out at night.

STATE OF SIEGE PROCLAIMED BY M. STALIN

A decree issued by M. Stalin this morning states:—

"It is hereby declared that the defence and policing at the approaches to Moscow, 60-75 miles to the west of the town is entrusted to the Commander of the Western Front Army, General Comrade Jukov. The commander of the garrisons in the city of Moscow, Lieut.-General Comrade Artemiev, is entrusted with the defence of the city.

"To secure the rear for the defence of Moscow and the strengthening of the rear of the forces defending Moscow, as well as to stop any subversive activity of spies, diversionists and other agents of German Fascists the Government Committee for Defence have decided:

"A state of siege is to be enforced in the town of Moscow and surrounding districts as from October 20, 1941.

"All street traffic, both pedestrian and vehicular, is to stop between midnight and five o'clock in the morning."

Instructions are given regarding what the people should do in air raid warnings.

GERMAN CLAIMS

LONDON, Sunday.—Claims made to-day by the German radio on behalf of the *Luftwaffe* included:—"Raids on enemy batteries on the shore of the Black Sea, where two batteries were destroyed and several others silenced. In the direction of Murmansk 19 enemy 'planes were brought down In the central sector of the front dive-bombers attacked troop concentrations and enemy positions near Moscow, when eight enemy railway stations were ruined, as well as two and two engines. Twenty-six trains were severely damaged and several transport trucks set on fire. They also attacked a land position, destroying five pillboxes, 21 tanks and more than 100 lorries. One ammunition dump was blown up. In the northern sector, between Lake Ilmen and Lake Ladoga, enemy batteries and railway lines were effectively attacked."

THREE TOWNS RETAKEN

MOSCOW, Sunday.—German troops have been driven out of three towns on the western direction of the front, according to a front line despatch to the *Red Star* quoted to-night by Moscow Radio.

"The Seventh German Division has been driven out of the town of "P," on the western direction of the front," the despatch states. "German troops have also been ejected from two more towns in this sector.—(Reuter.)

The despatch continues that tank and rifle units co-operated successfully to frustrate the plans of the Seventh German Division to make a wedge between Soviet troops operating along the main high road towards Moscow and drove the Germans out of the town of "O."—(Reuter.)

German radio this afternoon denied Soviet reports that Orel and Kalinin had been recaptured by the Red Army. Referring to a Soviet claim that "the Germans did not succeed in driving a wedge between the armies of Timoshenko and Voroshilov," the radio commented that "such a wedge is unnecessary and impossible, because Timoshenko's armies are destroyed and Voroshilov's are encircled at Leningrad."—(Associated Press.)

TEHERAN, Sunday.—Sir Walter Monckton's khaki-camouflaged twin-engined transport 'plane left Teheran this morning for a secret destination in Russia. It was learned here that the Soviet Government was moving farther eastward than Kazan, which is about 500 miles east of Moscow, because of its vulnerability to air attacks.—(Associated Press.)

SOVIET COMMUNIQUE

The Soviet midnight *communiqué* states:—"During October 19 fighting continued in all directions of the front. Particularly stubborn battles were waged in the Moljaisk and Moloyroslavets direction. Fierce attacks of the German Fascist troops were beaten off. 38 German aircraft were destroyed on October 18. We lost 17 aircraft. A Soviet unit operating on the Moscow front destroyed, on October 18, 42 German tanks, over 60 lorries with ammunition and fuel, 10 guns of various calibre, and up to one battalion of enemy infantry."

RESIGNED



M. Saffroy (left) and M. Roché, who have resigned their posts as Secretaries in the French Legation, Dublin.

"JAPAN'S COURSE IS SET"

MYSTERY OF NEW CABINET

TOKYO, Sunday.—M. Shigenori Togo, new Japanese Foreign Minister, in his first public statement since assuming office, said to-day that he would do his best to follow the course already set for Japan. He declined to comment on relations with the United States.

The new Minister for the Navy, Admiral Shimada, in a statement, said that the seriousness of the international situation demanded the closest co-operation between the Army, the Navy and the people.

The selection of General Tojo as the new Japanese Prime Minister makes it "odds-on" in favour of war in the Pacific, states the British commentator, Mr. Woodhead, in the American-owned *Sunday Mercury*. He adds: "It is scarcely an exaggeration to assert that the question is no longer whether there will be a war, but in what direction Japan, under a military dictatorship, will make the first move."

WELLINGTON, N.Z., Sunday.—"New Zealand must be prepared to co-operate in every way with the United Kingdom, Australia, the Netherlands East Indies, Malaya, China, Russia and the United States to maintain peace in the Pacific," said Mr. Fraser, the New Zealand Prime Minister, in a broadcast address to-day.

U.S. WATCHING

WASHINGTON, Sunday.—Officials here continue to watch the whole Far Eastern situation anxiously. The absence of any immediate radical change in Japanese policy and the continuation of the U.S.-Japanese talks has produced some reassurance, although it is believed that future moves will materially depend on war developments. Meanwhile some Congressmen are advocating a strong stand. Senator Norris said in an interview: "We can't appease Japan any more than Hitler," while Senator Gillette interpreted the Navy department's orders to U.S merchantmen in the Pacific as an indication that the Administration was "pretty discouraged" about reaching an understanding with Japan.—(Reuter.)

TOKYO, Sunday.—A warning that the use of Vladivostok as a route for sending American supplies to Russia is beset with the danger of spreading the war to Eastern Asia is contained in a leading article in the *Japan Times and Advertiser* to-day. It says that, if relations between Japan and the United States remain as strained as they are at present, United States aid to Russia carried beyond a certain point is almost certain to aggravate the situation in the Pacific. It declares that, if the United States means to offer effective and adequate aid to Russia, an improvement in Pacific relations must be desirable to her.—(Reuter.)

TORPEDOED U.S. DESTROYER

ELEVEN MISSING; TWO SERIOUSLY INJURED

WASHINGTON, Sunday.—The U.S. Navy Department announced to-night that the torpedoed U.S. destroyer Kearny has reached port with eleven of her men reported missing and two seriously injured.

The Department did not disclose at which port the destroyer has arrived. It stated that the Kearny had been attacked "by a submarine—undoubtedly German—early on Friday morning."—(Reuter.)

NEW YORK, Sunday.—The charge that the Kearny incident "may have been caused by a United States mine" was made by the German Radio in a broadcast quoted by the Columbia Broadcasting System.—(Reuter.)

CONDEMNATION OF FRENCH LEADERS

BERN, Monday.—Daladier, Blum, General Gamelin, Reynaud and Mandel—condemned by Marshal Pétain for their "responsibility for the defeat of France"—will be kept in solitary confinement in Fort Pourtalet, says a Vichy despatch. Fort Pourtalet, which is 2,500 feet above a rocky gorge in the Pyrenees, is described as "cold and uninviting."—(Reuter.)

BAN ON M.P.'S VISIT TO NORTH

DECISION TO BE CONTESTED

FROM THE PRESS ASSOCIATION LOBBY CORRESPONDENT.

The refusal of Mr. Herbert Morrison, Home Secretary, to allow Mr. McGovern to visit Northern Ireland to investigate the detention of Mr. Cahir Healy is to be challenged in the House of Commons by Sir Irving Albery, Squadron-Leader Donner, Sir Herbert Williams, Mr. Maxton and many others.

It will be contended that it is monstrous that an M.P. in the course of his work should be forbidden by a Government department to go to a place actually within the constituency area of the House. The rights of M.P.'s will be stoutly defended, with the possibility of the tabling of a censure motion.

For the Government it will be argued that M.P.'s should not ask for more privileges than ordinary members of the public, and that private inquiries such as this into the case of Mr. Healy should not be encouraged.

"AXIS POWERS ARE WINNING NOW"

WILLKIE SAYS THE U.S. MUST ACT

NEW YORK, Sunday.—The U.S. must abandon hope of peace, said Mr. Wendell Wilkie on Saturday night. "The Axis Powers are winning now and unless we act soon it will be too late," he said.

"Berlin, Tokyo and Rome are irrevocably linked by a dangerous dream of world conquest. Victory for one is victory for all. Their aim is world domination—the destruction of liberty, the end of democracy. Our ships will continue to be torpedoed and sunk unless we arm them fast. The Axis victories will not end unless we deliver in rapidly increasing amounts our goods into the hands of those fighting for freedom on land and sea. But even this is not enough—we must remove the show and deception of the hypocritical Neutrality Laws: we must abandon hope of peace. We can no more negotiate peace with the war lords of Tokyo than with the conquering dictator of Berlin."—(Reuter.)

NEW DIETETIC COUNCIL

Although no definite date has yet been fixed for the first meeting of the new Dietetic Council set up by the Medical Association of Eire, it is probable that the Council will meet about the end of this week.

No decision has yet been taken as to what line the Council's investigations will take, but an *Irish Times* reporter was informed yesterday it will be prepared to advise the Government and local authorities on any diet problems they might wish to have investigated.

The setting up of the Council—the members of which are well-known dieticians—has been the result of discussions at the general meeting of the Medical Association in the summer. At that meeting it was proposed that such a Council be established, so that a body would be in existence that could give advice to public bodies on dietetics.

The members of the new Council are: Dr. P. T. O'Farrell, Lower Baggot street, Dublin (Chairman); Professor W. J. E. Jessop, Castle Park, Rathfarnham, Professor of Physiology, Royal College of Surgeons (Secretary); Dr. W. R. Fearon, F.,T.C.D., Professor of Bio-Chemistry, Dublin University; Dr. Catherine M. O'Brien, Nutley Park, Dublin research worker; Dr. J. Mowbray, Merrion road, Dublin, and Dr. Oliver Fitzgerald, Waterford, Research Fellow of the Medical Research Council and Physiology Department, University College, Dublin.

20,000 JEWS DEPORTED FROM GERMANY

Some 20,000 Jews in Berlin, Vienna, and the Rhineland have been compulsorily deported to Poland, according to reports reaching the Polish Telegraph Agency. They were forced to leave at ten minutes' notice last Friday night, and were allowed to take with them only a small handbag each and 100 marks in cash. Most of them are between 50 and 80. The younger Jews are kept in Germany to work for the Reich.

The German Government, it is stated, intends to send all Jews in Austria and Germany to Eastern Poland, the Ukraine, and other conquered territories. Deportations are to be carried out gradually, the actual speed depending on the rate of air bombardment of cities where bombing is causing a serious shortage of habitable houses.

Under this plan bombed-out Germans are to be installed in the place of the Jews who are forced to leave their homes intact, fully furnished, and provided even with linen and plate.—(Reuter.)

COMING ARTILLERY PRACTICE

Artillery practice will be carried out at Berehaven on Thursday between 12 noon and 6 p.m., and on Friday between 8.30 p.m. and 11 p.m. As heavy guns will be used, all windows in the locality should be kept open.

THE DANGER THAT THREATENS THE COUNTRY

MR. DE VALERA'S CALL TO MEN OF MILITARY AGE

"I AM afraid," said Mr. de Valera, when addressing a parade of L.D.F., L.S.F., Red Cross and other emergency units in Wexford yesterday, "that our people as a whole do not yet clearly realise the danger that threatens."

Having referred to the privations and hardships of other countries not directly involved, Mr. de Valera said: "We are faced at worst with all the havoc of an actual conflict, in which we shall be fighting desperately for everything dear to us; at best, with a condition in which very many thousands will be suffering hardships such as they never experienced before.

He appealed to young men of military age to join up either as volunteers for the duration or as members of the permanent Army.

Praising the work done by farmers last year, Mr. de Valera said they wanted the farmers to add another 100,000 acres to last year's total of tillage.

"A HIGH PROBABILITY"

"In speaking of the likelihood of our involvment in this war," said Mr de Valera, "we are not dealing with some distant vague possibility. We are dealing with what must by all reasonable people be classed as a high probability, unless God keeps us particularly in His mercy. Are we, as a people, making the preparations we should make if we really believed this? I am not satisfied that we are. We seem to be preparing only by fits and starts, whereas the danger demands that we should be preparing steadily and earnestly, if not feverishly, all the time."

Their first and most direct preparation, he proceeded, was to have the greatest possible number of their young men trained as efficient soldiers. Their regular forces must be brought up to full establishment; they had not reached that yet. They must have the younger men in this force if it was to be equal to the strain of a campaign. The best equipment ought to be in the best hands. He, therefore, appealed earnestly to young men of military age to join up and get trained at once either as volunteers for the duration or as members of the permanent Army. If the circumstances were such that a young man could not join the regulars, then he ought to feel bound to join the L.D.F. Older men above the best age for military service should join the L.S.F. in the rural areas and the A.R.P. in the cities and towns.

MORE TILLAGE REQUIRED

Referring to the difficulty of getting supplies from outside, Mr. de Valera said that whatever shipping space was available ought to be reserved for those commodities which cannot be produced or substituted from our own resources. It was a shame to have to use the limited shipping space for wheat, which should all be grown at home. Considering all the circumstances, the response of the farmers last year to our appeal to increase the wheat acreage was excellent. "We want them this year to add another hundred and fifty thousand acres to last year's total, he said. If that is done, if every farmer grows, say, one-third as much wheat again as he grew last year, we shall have saved tens of thousands of tons of shipping space for other essential articles without which industries will have to close down, and we shall have much unemployment and want."

Last year there was not nearly as much winter wheat sown as there should have been. They should lose no time now. Every suitable day should be availed of for the sowing of winter wheat. They had no guarantee if they waited till the spring that it would be a good spring for sowing. "We want," he said, "an increase not merely in wheat, but in the other cereals also in barley and oats. If we do not have these increases we shall not have sufficient food for pigs or stock or poultry. We must have these, too, without any diminution in the acreage under beet or root crops. To meet the required additional acreage of tillage crops the Minister for Agriculture has estimated that we must advance the compulsory proportion of tillage from one-fifth of the arable land as it was last year to one-fourth for the coming year.

"We hope that their appreciation of the national need will be sufficient to get the farmers to do what is asked of them, and that there will be no need to exact penalties or to enter upon any lands. But it would be unfair to those who do their duty If those who ignore it were not rigorously dealt with, and I promise that an organisation will be set up in time this year to deal with all defaulters.

FUEL SHORTAGE

With regard to the fuel problem, he said that had now resolved itself mainly into one of transport. There were large bogs nearer Dublin than those of Clare, Donegal, Mayo and Kerry, but the manpower was not available near them. To encamp 10,000 men in these bogs over a period of several months would be difficult and unsatisfactory, particularly in view of the shortage of timber and other building materials. The fuel shortage in the cities, particularly in Dublin, would be a most difficult problem this winter. It would ease matters if those who did not need their fuel rations immediately would refrain from drawing them, and thus leave more for the poor who have no reserves and need their rations urgently for heating and cooking.

"As I warned when this war began," concluded Mr. de Valera, "it has brought even to countries not directly involved hardships and privations which are certain to become intensified as time goes on. We are faced, then, at worst with all the havoc of an actual conflict, in which we shall be fighting desperately for everything dear to us; at best with a condition in which very many thousands will be suffering hardships such as they have never experienced before. With such a prospect there should be no place for complacency or for grumbling over what are relatively trifles."

ANSWERING THE CALL

General Mulcahy said that men who had found themselves divided into various political parties, and who were engaged in various walks of life, had come together at the call of the nation, supported by the Government, Fine Gael and the Labour Party, in the defence of the country. The young men of the L.D.F. and auxiliary organisations were looked to by the people to display and develop the highest qualities of citizenship.

Mr. T. D. Sinnott, County Commissioner, presided, and among those on the platform were:—Dr. Ryan, Minister for Agriculture; Alderman R. Corish, T.D., Mayor of Wexford; Denis Allen, T.D.; John Keating, T.D.; Senator P. Kehoe, Liam Burke, General Secretary, Fine Gael; Mrs. D. J. Bolger, Chairman, County Wexford Red Cross; the Very Rev. Father Angelus, O.F.M., Guardian; the Rev. George Murphy, Administrator, Wexford, and the Rev. Canon J. E. Hazley.

BOMBING OF NAPLES AND TRAPINI

WORKS AND AERODROME ABLAZE

THE Royal Air Force in the Middle East on Saturday and yesterday announced destructive raids on Naples and on the Sicilian aerodrome at Trapini.

Saturday night's Royal Air Force Middle East *communiqué* stated:—

"Royal Air Force bombers carried out a most successful attack on objectives at Naples during the night of October 16-17 (Thursday night). Heavy bombs hit the torpedo factory buildings in the Royal Arsenal factory, the Air Frame factory and the Alfa-Romeo works, as well as the docks and railways and the engine sheds. Large fires which broke out as a result of the bombing could be seen still burning when our aircraft were many miles on their way home.

"Yesterday (Friday) our bombers attacked the seaplane base at Syracuse in daylight.

"Our aircraft were engaged by enemy fighters, one of which was so badly damaged that it is thought unlikely to have regained its base.

"In North Africa on Friday bombing and machine-gunning raids were made on motor transport on the main coast road between Zuara and Sirte, in Tripolitania. Several vehicles were destroyed and others were damaged. The aerodrome at Ez Zauia, between Tripoli and Zuara, was also attacked.

"One CR 42 was destroyed on the ground and others were damaged, and barrack buildings and a guard house were blown up.

"In Abyssinia our bombers effectively raided enemy positions south of Amba Georgis yesterday (Friday).

"From these and other operations all our aircraft returned safely."

Sunday's communiqué said:—

"Bomber aircraft of the South African Air Force yesterday raided enemy landing grounds in Cyrenaica. At Derna a number of bombs were seen to burst in the vicinity of dispersed aircraft, but owing to cloudy weather complete results of the attacks could not be observed.

"Both landing grounds at Gazala were effectively attacked and bombs were dropped on a camp at Gazala, South.

"In Sicily heavy bombers of the Royal Air Force raided Trapini aerodrome during the night of October 17-18. Bombs burst on the runways and aerodrome buildings. Fires which broke out were visible many miles from the target.

"Shipping and harbour installations at Benghazi were also attacked during the night of October 17-18 despite unfavourable weather conditions.

"In the Azozo region of Abyssinia dive-bombing and machine-gunning attacks were made on enemy positions on October 17. Many direct hits were obtained on a fort, trenches and huts.

"From these and other operations all our aircraft returned safely."

ITALIAN REPORT

The Italian communiqué yesterday stated:—

"In North and East Africa intense activity of the Italian advance detachments on the land front is reported.

"Yesterday afternon the town of Crotone was attacked by a few enemy 'planes. They dropped explosive bombs, which fell partly into the sea and partly on the beach. There were neither victims nor damage.

"On October 17 during an air battle fought by Italian fighters one Hurricane was shot down.

"Last night formations of the Italian Air Force carried out bombing actions on military objectives on Malta.

"All the Italian 'planes returned to their bases."

Crotone is on the extreme south-western edge of the Gulf of Taranto, Southern Italy.—(Reuter.)

AIR RAIDS ON MALTA

MALTA, Sunday.—An official communiqué here to-day states:—"Last night a number of air raid alarms were sounded when enemy aircraft approached the coast. A few bombs were dropped on land, causing only slight damage to civilian property. A few persons were killed in one locality."—(Reuter.)

RAIDS ON FRENCH COAST

RADIO STATIONS ATTACKED

"Aircraft of the Fighter Command carried out several offensive patrols over the Cherbourg peninsula yesterday despite bad weather," states the Air Ministry News Service. Radio stations were machine-gunned, and two of our aircraft shot up hangars on an aerodrome.

"Other fighter pilots flew over Boulogne and Dieppe areas, and patrolled the French coast.

"No enemy fighters were encountered by our aircraft."

BOMB ON SOUTH WALES

A single raider crossed the South Wales Coast last night, and dropped one high-explosive on a hamlet. There were no casualties, and no damage.

GERMANS SAY BRITISH BOMBER DOWN

BERLIN, Sunday. — "A British Hudson bomber was shot down by German fighters after a short duel while approaching the Norwegian coast," the German News Agency claimed to-night.—(Reuter.)

AMERICA'S PROMISE TO IRISH RED CROSS

That the American Red Cross had offered generous gifts to this country was disclosed by Mr. Justice Conor Maguire, yesterday, when, as Chairman of the Irish Red Cross Society Central Committee, he formally opened the Society's Blackrock branch premises at Avondale Hall, Carysfort avenue.

An ambulance was blessed by the Rev. Canon Connell, Chairman of the Blackrock branch. A parade, headed by the Blackrock Pipers' Band, took place.

Mr. Justice Maguire inspected both the women's and men's sections.

Responding to a vote of thanks, Mr. Justice Maguire paid tribute to Mr. B. J. McKinley's generosity, and to the work of the branch and its officials.

The Red Cross, he said, in many ways opened channels of communication with other countries through the Society at Geneva. Only yesterday they had a communication from the American Red Cross Society, who had offered generous gifts to help them in this country. They were in communication with them as to what form the gifts should take. In conclusion Mr Justice Maguire appealed for more men.

Presentations were made to Dr. P. D. O'Rourke and Mrs. O'Rourke.

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MOWATT—October 17, 1941, to Molly (née Wilson), wife of Henry P. Mowatt, 20 Woodlands Drive, Brooklands, Manchester, a son.

MARRIAGE.

TIMMINS and THOMPSON—October 1, 1941, at St. Paul's Church, Gilford, by the Venerable Archdeacon Orr, M.A., LL.D., Robert William, eldest son of the late George Timmins, Old Drumlyn House, Portadown, and of Mrs. Timmins, Balmoral avenue, Belfast, to Frances Olivia, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Thompson, Gilford.

DEATHS.

HARDING—October 18, 1941, at Moore street, Mountmellick, Queen's County, Mary Harding, widow of the late John Harding, aged 80 years. Funeral to-day (Monday) at 3 p.m. (summer time). "Rest for evermore."

LUGTON—October 19, 1941, at a Dublin Nursing Home, Victoria Manson, daughter of the late James Lugton, of this city, and aunt of James B. Lugton, 4 Greenfield road, Ainsdale, Southport. Funeral tomorrow (Tuesday), 21st inst., to Mount Jerome.

MACK—October 12, 1941, at 25 High Lane, Chorlton-cum-Hardy, Minnie, the beloved wife of the late George Mack, of Galway.

MOORHEAD—October 18, 1941 (suddenly), William Moorhead, of Rhyne, Longford. Funeral to-day (Monday) at Killoe. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife, family and a large circle of friends.

THISTLE—Mabel Wise, wife of Sam Thistle, Moynalty. Funeral to Newtown to-morrow (Tuesday). "Thy will be done."

THORNTON—October 18, 1941, at 18 Green road, Blackrock, Emily, dearly-loved wife of S. W. Thornton, senior. Funeral to Dean's Grange to-day (Monday).

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HOUSES AND LANDS FOR SALE.

AT Blanchardstown—Bungalows, from £390; low outgoings; part cash arranged.—Bradshaw, Blanchardstown, 'Phone: Castleknock 29. 16 A

AT MOUNTTOWN, Dun Laoghaire, £850 or near offer, Modern, Semi-detached House; 2 sittingrooms 4 bedrooms, garage, etc.; perfect order.—Le Clerc and Donovan, Sandycove. 17 O

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FOR Sale, modern House; Glenbeigh road, North Circular road; subject to tenancy profit rent, £64.—Bergin, 16 Dawson street. 17 A

FOR Auction—Lindville, 20 Mayfield road, Terenure, at our Property Salerooms, South Great George's street, on Thursday next, 23rd October, at 1.15 o'clock; well built, non-basement house, 7 rooms, kitchen, h. and c. bath, electric light. Keys and Conditions of Sale from the Auctioneers, Thos. Dockrell, Sons and Co., Ltd. 17 B

FOR Auction—Valuable Fee-Simple Rent of £500 per annum, payable in one collection, by Messrs. Cassidy and Co., out of the extensive Property, 56 and 57 South Great George's street, at our Property Salerooms, South Great George's street, on Thursday next, 23rd October, at 1.15 o'clock. Conditions of Sale and full particulars of this Gilt-Edged Investment from the Auctioneers, Thos. Dockrell, Sons and Co., Ltd. 17 B

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HOUSES TO LET AND WANTED.

AT Sandymount—Modern House; 6 rooms, garage, good gardens, every convenience, gas and electric; to let, £110, or sell, £1,100.—B 291, this office. T C

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ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS

ANNUAL STATED MEETING

At the annual stated meeting of the President and Fellows of the Royal College of Physicians of Ireland, held on St. Luke's Day, the following Officers and Examiners were elected for the coming year:—

President—Dr. R. J. Rowlette.
Vice-President—Dr. V. M. Synge.
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Examiners for the License to practice Midwifery—Dr. A. H. Davidson and Dr. T. M. Healy.

Additional Examiners to take the place of an absent Censor or Examiner.—Medicine, Dr. R. Brian Pringle; Midwifery, Dr. J. F. Cunningham; Medical Jurisprudence and Hygiene, Dr. M. A. Moriarty.

Supplemental Examiners under the Conjoint Examination Scheme—Biology, Dr. Ala[illegible]mpson; Chemistry and Physics, D[illegible] Q. O'Meara; Pharmacy, Materia M[illegible] and Therapeutics, Dr. P. T. O'Far[illegible]ysiology, Dr. R. A. Q. O'Meara; [illegible], Dr. T. C. M. Corbet; Pathology, [illegible] Dockeray; Medicine, Dr. Leonard [illegible].

[illegible]ners for the Membership—Clinical Me[illegible]ne—Dr. G. Bewley and Dr. R. H. Micks; Practice of Medicine, Dr. W. G. Harvey and Dr. Robert Marshall; Pathology, Dr. W. Boxwell and Dr. J. T. Wigham; Obstetrics and Gynæcology, Dr. T. M. Healy and Dr. O'Donel Browne.

Examiners for the Conjoint Diploma in Public Health—Hygiene, Dr. C. J. McSweeney; Sanitary Law and Vital Statistics, Dr G. Bewley; Bacteriology, Dr. J. W. Bigger; Meteorology, Dr. W. G. Harvey.

Examiners for the Conjoint Diploma in Psychology—Dr. H. Lee Parker and Dr. W. J. Coyne.

Examiners for the Conjoint Diploma in Ophthalmic Medicine and Surgery—Dr. J. T. Wigham and Dr. R. A. Q. O'Meara.

Examiners for the Conjoint Diploma in Child Health—Dr. R. H. Micks and Dr. R. E. Steen.

Examiners for the Conjoint Preliminary Examination—Languages, Dr. E. H. Alton, S.F.T.C.D.; Science, Dr. W. R. Fearon, F.T.C.D.

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FOLLOWING are the names of those who drew prizes in the Soldiers' and Sailors' Help Society Tombola Draw at Mansion House:—Hugh Pack Beresford, Miss H. Clarke, Miss K. Kelly, Miss Spring, Miss Willis, Mrs. Graham, Mrs. Haughton, Mrs. Crehan, Mrs. Crozier, Miss Alice Best, R. Halligan, Miss V. Smyly, Miss Gollwey, Lord Farnham, Mrs. W. Walshe, Mrs. Halliday, M. Kirwan, Miss Hipwell, Sawyers, Ltd.; E. M. Meares, P. M. Murdoch, T. S. Shackleton, James Gibson, Sir L. Arnott, Mrs. Spencer Shiel, G. M. Meares, Mrs. J. S. Pringle, Mrs. Dillon, Mrs. Norman, Miss V. Dennis, Mrs. Haines, Lt.-Col. Verschoyle Campbell, James Poynton, Lady Hartigan, Mrs. Boyes, Mrs. Farrell, Miss L. Overend, Mrs. H. Millar, Mrs. D. Tierney, Fur Cape—Lt.-Col. Verschoyle Campbell. Quilt—Mrs. Lambert, Castle Park, Rathfarnham. Chocolates—Miss M. Marnan. Buried Treasure—£1, Miss A. Pringle; 15/-, Miss Haughton; 10/-, Miss Symes; 10/-, Mrs. Gilmore.

IRISH Cinematograph Trade Benevolent Fund Raffle. Winning Nos.—1438, 1808, 5150, 1887, 483, 5066, 3841, 3190, 5101, 4016, 1039, 2614, 3412, 5148, 1911, 1959, 5415, 4557, 1767, 222, 1792, 71, 5936, 2059, 48, 32, 5074, 2464, 1877, 8, 1913, 1146, 2084, 1209, 1154, 6045, 5812, 1960, 2613, 130, 3298, 2608, 4418, 305, 1032, 2273, 43, 714, 1919, 2609, 5925, 5149, 1819, 5067, 3856, 1835, 1888, 3378, 816, 2611, 3782, 2644, 1671, 4345, 3022. Apply for prizes to Mr. Frank Rodway, Molloy and Carroll, 12 D'Olier street, Dublin. Cinema seat prize winners will be notified by letter.—Robt. C. McKew, Hon. Secretary, I.C.T.B.F.

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Several people have written to compliment me on my drawings and to express astonishment at the variety of styles I can adopt. Particularly have I won golden opinions, not to say encomia, as a result of my mastery of the old-time craft of the woodcut.

It is true that my drawings are fine things. They satisfy the human appetite for what is pleasing and well-made. It is no lie to say that they are delightful.

How do I do it?

I cannot say. Genius, take it how you will, is an odd thing. Talent, yes—that can be analysed and explained. But not genius. I am myself as much an astonished spectator of my own work as any reader. When my fingers begin drawing I often find myself giving involuntary gasps of surprise and excitement. A few quick strokes and the thing is done. The whole thing is over in a moment. Every line is in its place, every delicate little shade exquisitely delineated.

And those fingers! You should see them. They are rich with rings, crusted with exotic opal, lapis lazuli, Benghazi myrmum, incomparable cheznook and fahr from the Orient. They are long, nervous and beautifully shaped, the fingers of an artist. Please notice their white transcuent skin of perfect grain, the perfectly kept nails, pink suffusion of pale quick under pearly shell, the delicate, almost feminine, rounding of the thumb. My face, too—

The Plain People of Ireland: Could we hold the face over till to-morrow?

Myself: Certainly.

CONVERSATION PIECE

The Plain People of Ireland: If it's all the same, we'd prefer to have you by instalments.

Myself: Fair enough.

Well, what do you think of the war?

Nothing. I never think of the war.

The brother was across to the other side last week. He said we have no idea.

Have we not?

The brother says you'll see the Americans in before the New Year. And do you know what I'm going to tell you?

I do not.

The Swiss are thinking of having a go at the French. There's bad blood there, you know, always was. Some of your men in Switzerland speak French, but don't run away with the idea that that makes them Frenchmen.

I rarely run away with such ideas.

The brother takes a poor view of the situation above in Africa. He says that class of thing can't last—couldn't last. He says you'll see a republic there before the New Year. He gives them to Christmas to blow up.

That is very kind of him.

Another crowd that aren't happy at all, so the brother says, is the Swedes. A desperate crowd of men for going off to sea. Close up the sea with mines and torpedo boats and where are you? You're in for trouble.

That makes it simple.

The brother was saying that he has eighteen pounds of tea stored up above in Finglas. He knew the war was coming five years ago. He said the thing couldn't last.

That reminds me that it is tea-time. Good-bye!

SRAID AMIEN.

"A few nights ago I had a lovely dream. I dreamt that I was in Dublin when an 'Irish Week' was in full swing. . . When the train came to a stop in Amiens Street Station the railway porters were rushing about the platform opening the carriage doors and shouting *Atha Cliath*."

—From an article in *The Leader.*

Fair enough, but when the porters do get round to using Irish, I hope they will be able to roar out two words without making a mistake in grammar.

CHURCH SERVICES

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL. — 10 o'clock, Morning Prayer. Psalm 103. Chant 28. Urbs Fortitudinis 85. Hymn 521. 4 o'clock, Evensong. Psalm 104. Chant 89. Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis, Stewart in G. Anthem "O Saviour of the World" (Goss).

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL. — 10.45 o'clock, Matins. Venite 294. Psalm 102 (295, 296). Te Deum, 13, 14, 15. Hymn 745 (2). 3 o'clock, Evensong (Boys' voices only). Psalm 104 (139). Magnificat 757. Nunc Dimittis 739. Anthem, "O Come Hither and Hearken" (Henry Smart) (1813-1879).

ST. GEORGE'S PARISH CHURCH.—Parochial Mission—7.30 and 8.30. Holy Communion. 10.30, Morning Prayer. 4 p.m., Bible reading. 8, Mission Service. Preacher, the Missioner, the Very Rev. R. McNeil Boyd, B.D., M.C., Dean of Killaloe. Church open every day this week all day for private prayer.

The Most Rev. Dr. Fogarty, Bishop of Killaloe, called on the Lord Mayor (Alderman P. S. Doyle, T.D.) at the Mansion House, Dublin, last Friday.

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY

LAW NOTICES—Monday, October 20.

AN CHUIRT BHREITHIUNAIS UACHTARACH.
(The Supreme Court.)

At 11 o'clock. For Hearing. Appeals—Butler v. Burke (new trial motion), at hearing; Thompson v. McMullan and another.

CLARATHOIR NA gCOIMIRCITHE CUIRTE.
(The Registrar of Wards of Court.)

Before the Registrar, at 11.30 o'clock—Exparte Applications—S. facts, M. Turpin and Son; summons, A. O'Hagan; summons, A. W. Hughes.

Before Mr. Magahan, at 11 o'clock—Vouch acount, P. J. Brady and Co.; vouch 4 accounts, A. Robinson.

AN ARD-CHUIRT BHREITHIUNAIS.
(The High Court.)

In Court 2. The Hon. Mr. Justice Gavan Duffy, at 11 o'clock. Actions (to be mentioned)—Co. Limerick County Council v. Fitzpatrick; Federation of Irish Rail and Road Workers v. G.S. Railways Co. and others. Motions—National Bank, Ltd., v. Bentley and Trustee Act, 1893; Royal Bank of Ireland, Ltd., v. Mooney; Smith v. Jordan; O'Toole v. O'Meara; G. Griffin, deceased, and M. Griffin, deceased, Griffin v. Griffin. Motion—Pasley v. Pleasants and others. Summonses—James McMahon, Ltd., v. O'Brien and another; the Hibernian Bank, Ltd., v. Merrins; the Royal Bank of Ireland Ltd., v. McDonald; the Munster and Leinster Bank, Ltd., v. Murphy; Murphy and Trustee Acts; Matheson v. Pollock and others.

In Court 4, at 11.15 o'clock. Before the Hon. Mr. Justice Maguire. On Notice—Somers v. Erskine.

In Court 6. The Hon. Mr. Justice Black, at 11 o'clock. Summons (to fix date for hearing)—Rooney v. Corrigan. Actions (to fix dates for hearing)—French v. Meath County Council (Circuit Appeal); McCarthy v. Roche (Circuit Appeal); Bank of Ireland v. Sheehan; Edwards v. Slattery; Reilly v. Cavan County Council; Hibernian Fire and General Insurance Co., Ltd., v. Dorgan; Somers v. Erskine; same v. Good; Wexford Steamships, Ltd., v. National Bank, Ltd.; Shaw v. Hernon; O'Connell v. Barton; Lynch v. O'Donoghue. To be Mentioned—Erskine v. Somers (Magwood); same v. same (defendant); Royal Bank of Ireland Ltd., v. Markey; National Bank, Ltd., v. Loftus and Trustee Act, 1893; Hopkins Trusts, Hopkins v. Barlee; T. A. Bailey, decd., Royal Bank of Ireland, Ltd., v. Barklie. Motions—Long v. Long; K.R.D. Fisheries, Ltd., v. Attorney-General. Summonses—L'Estrange v. Molloy; Munster and Leinster Bank, Ltd., v. Stokes; same v. Murphy; same v. Byrne; Northern Bank, Ltd., v. Long.

JURY ACTIONS.

The jurors summoned to the Michaelmas Sittings for trials by jury for to-day are requested to attend at 11 o'clock a.m. in Court 1 at the Four Courts, Dublin, when the panel will be called over. Jurors not answering their names will be fined.

In Court 1, at 11 o'clock, before the Hon. the President—Doolin v. D.U.T. Co. (1896), Ltd.

In Court 4, before the Hon. Mr. Justice Maguire, at 11 o'clock—Gorman v. Hayes.

MAISTIR NA hARD-CHUIRTE.
(The Master of the High Court.)

At 11 o'clock. Motions of Course—Summonses—Clarke v. Weldon; Hibernian Bank v. Bannon; same v. Kenny; Matterson and Sons v. Clarke; Dublin County Council v. Casey; same v. Carey; same v. Carey; Napier Equipments v. O Ceallaigh; Wachman v. Bernstein; Walsh v. Sheeran; Fitzgerald v. C.A.B. Motor Co.

BANKRUPTCY.

At 12 o'clock—Arrangt., vch. ac., Thompson and Edwards; Rider, pr. dts. and vch., Porter, Morris and Co.; Kirwan, refce., J. Fagan; arrangt., pr. dts., J. Barrett; Morrissey, vch. ac., E. Newman; Kirwan, pr. dts. and vch., Thompson and Edwards.

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(The Taxing Master's Office).

Master O'Hanlon, at 11 o'clock—A Ward of Court, Kerin, Hickman and O'Donnell; a Ward of Court, William Fry and Son; Rose and Settled Land Acts, Dobbyn and McCoy; same, F. J. Power. At 12 o'clock—Cogan v. Minister for Finance, Chief State Solicitor; Malone's Trusts, T. T. Mecredy and Son; Malone v. Malone, same; same, v. same, same.

Master Kennedy, at 11 o'clock—Exparte Taxations—National Bank v. McHale, Ruttledge and Corr; Finlay's estate, C. H. Maidment. At 12 o'clock—A Ward of Court, Cartan, O'Meara and Kieran.

COIMISIUN TALMHAN NA h-EIREANN.
(Irish Land Commission.)
At Examiners' Chambers, at 93 Merrion Square.

Before Mr. Grove White, at 3 o'clock—Estate of Farrell, vouch item. At 3.30 o'clock—Estate of Fogarty, vouch item.

Before Mr. Franks, at 11 o'clock—Estate of J. Odlum, discharge rulings and settle schedule.

Before Mr. Spain, at 11 o'clock—Estate of Rev Mi. Ryan, discharge rulings and settle schedule. At 3 o'clock—Estate of Edward Sweetman, discharge rulings and settle schedule.

At 6 Hume Street.

Before Mr. O'Byrne, at 3.30 o'clock—Resumed holding of James Skeffington Jones discharge rulings and settle schedule. At 4 o'clock—Estate of Henry Murphy, discharge ruling.

CENTRAL CRIMINAL COURT.
Green Street Courthouse, Dublin.

This day at 11 o'clock. The full panel of jurors must attend. Absent jurors will be fined.

AN CHUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS CHUARDA.
(Circuit Court of Justice.)

Before Judge Davitt, at the Law Courts, Chancery place, at 11 o'clock. Application for Summary Judgment—Guinan and anor. v. Edwards. Appeals from District Court (Civil)—Fitzsimons appell., v. Filson; Filson v. Fitzsimons (Rent Act); Fitzsimons appell. v. Grey; Grey v. Fitzsimons (Rent Act); McManus, appll. v. Harvey; Dublin Artizans Dwellings Co., Ltd., v. Eviston; Fitzmaurice, appll., v. Hanna; Garland v. Fearon appll.; Howth U.D.C. v. Higginbotham, appll.; Longfield, Jameson and Hamilton v. Cooper, appll.; Murray v. same, appll.

Before Judge Shannon, at the Law Courts, Chancery place, at 11 o'clock. Motions—Cadden v. Boyle; same v. same; Murdoch and anor. v. O'Sullivan. Applications for Summary Judgment—Holland v. Hussey; Associated Properties, Ltd. v. Larkin; same v. Foy; Shannon v. Gelder. Equity Minor Application—Rita King, a minor. Civil Actions—Kinsella v. Connor (at hearing); McGowan v. Little and anor.; Edwards v. Usher and Co., Ltd.; McNulty and Co., Ltd., v. Brown.

AN CLARATHOIR CONTAE.
(The County Registrar.)

At 12.30 o'clock. Taxation of Costs—Murphy v. O'Reilly.

LARCENY OF GAS

"Half the city might have been set on fire," observed Mr. E. H. Burne, solicitor for the Alliance and Dublin Consumers' Gas Co., in a prosecution before District Justice Lennon in the Dublin District Court last Saturday.

The prosecution was against Patrick O'Rourke, builders' labourer, Mercer House, Mercer street, Dublin, who was sentenced to fourteen days' imprisonment on a charge of the larceny of gas to the value of 5/3.

Mr. Burne told the District Justice that the meter which had been used by O'Rourke had been disconnected in September, 1938, as money had been missing from it. On October of the present year a representative of the Gas Company who went to the place found a contraption made up of an old bicycle tube, patched, and crudely connected with the service pipe. It was believed that about £27 worth of gas had been extracted in the past three years.

The danger of asphyxiation to O'Rourke and his family and to other people hardly could be over-stressed.

It was stated that about twenty families lived in the building.

O'Rourke denied that he had used the gas for more than three weeks.

THE CHARTERED SURVEYORS

The monthly meeting of the Chartered Surveyors' Institution (Eire Branch) Executive Committee was held on Thursday last. Mr. F. D. Shortall, Vice-Chairman, presided, in the unavoidable absence of the Chairman, Mr. C. J. Dunlop, F.R.I.A.I., and there were also present:—Messrs. A. Edward Smith, Ernest J. Anthony, Harry Lisney, A. W. Bennett, F. S. Hall, John O'Brien Capt. W. Molony, Major C. G. T. Hemphill, and the Secretary, Mr. B. J. Newcombe.

Correspondence with the National Council of the Building Industry of Ireland was dealt with, and the Institution's membership was continued for the present year.

Further progress was reported by the Dinner and Dance Committee for the function on 29th October, 1941.

The Committee adjourned until 20th November, 1941.



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Five Favourites Score at Baldoyle

THE Navan meeting, held at Baldoyle on Saturday, was marked by the continued successes of favourites, five in all passing the post in front, and in the one instance of a favourite's defeat the winner was well backed, and in but little less request. The Troytown Steeplechase, the principal event on the card, fell rather flat, only three horses being saddled, and it was actually reduced to a match, as Skin the Goat bolted immediately on leaving the paddock, and having completed two circuits of the course, returned to the paddock just as the other two were sent on their way. It was an easy race for Miss D. Paget's good horse, Golden Jack, who won pulling up by ten lengths.

Mr. J. J. Parkinson saddled two winners, his first score being with Clonbern, who won the Maiden Hurdle Race in effortless fashion, and almost as easy a score was that of Grant in the Second Autumn Hurdle. W. T. O'Grady adopted cutting down tactics on the son of Apron, who was never headed. Grant had run only twice previously this year, and this was his first score. He is in the Irish Cesarewitch at the Curragh next Saturday, and, as he incurs no penalty, he should be hard to beat, although it is thought at the moment that his stable companion, Tom Mix, will be better fancied. Saturday's race was run at a brisk pace—faster, in fact, than the two miles flat race run later in the afternoon, and Grant was easing up a long way before reaching the winning post.

Zog, through having the services of the smart apprentice, E. Newman, was able to meet Royal Concert on more favourable terms in the Meath Plate than at the Curragh, and carrying Mr. D. Frame's colours now he not only confirmed the former running, but won in easier style.

The one favourite to be beaten was Benedict, who, in the Ardmulchan Plate, delivered a late challenge to Dandy Boy, and failed by half a length to reach Mr. D. Malone's horse whose fourth success off



Grant winning the Second Autumn Handicap Hurdle at Baldoyle.

the reel it was. There was an exciting finish for the Grange Plate. Principality, ridden by Mr. T. Nugent, was an odds-on favourite and his backers were on the best of terms with themselves when he took the lead in the straight. It was only close home that any danger threatened Knocknagoran, ridden by Mr. Desmond O'Hagan, delivered a strong challenge, and actually headed the favourite a few strides from the post, but Principality joined issue again, and made a dead-heat. Subsequently the rider of Drochat Atha, who finished third, lodged an objection to Knocknagoran on the grounds of bumping in the straight, but this was overruled. Details:—

3.0—BECTIVE HURDLE, £100. 1½m.
Clonbern, b. g., by Poor Man—Marlhill's Star (Mr. Michael McDonough), 4, 11-4 ... W. T. O'Grady 1
Queer Spes, 4, 11-4 ... J. Moloney 2
Archie's Pride, 6, 11-4 ... M. Gordon 3
Also ran—Glenapp, 4, 11-4 (T. Hyde); Zanoah, 6, 10-13 (J. P. Maguire); Bibs, 4, 11-4 (A. Brabazon); Desire, a, 11-4 (T. McNeill); Aeneid, 5, 11-4 (Mr. W. Willis); Arab Lad, 3, 10-7 (D. L. Moore); Tighri 3, 10-2 (T. Cullen); Roseton, 3, 10-7 (P. J. Murphy). (Winner trained by J. J. Parkinson.)
Betting—6 to 4 on CLONBERN, 4 to 1 agst. Queer Spes, 5 to 1 Desire, 10 to 1 any other. **Tote**—Win: 3/-. Places: 2/6, 4/-, 3/-.
10 l.; 1½ l. Desire 4, Glenapp 5, Roseton 6, Aeneid 7. 2 m. 50 4-5 s.

3.30—MEATH HANDICAP, £100. 5 f.
Zog, b. g., by Tetratema—Zelah (Mr. D. Frame), 3, 8-2 ... E. Newman 1
Columbia, 3, 7-12 ... T. P. Burns 2
Royal Concert, 3, 8-11 ... M. Wing 3
Also ran—Rose Garland, 3, 8-0 (G. Cooney); First House, 2, 8-5 (G. Wells); Mozart, 3, 7-12 (M. Nolan); Wincara, 2, 7-5 (J. Tyrrell). (Winner trained by R. Fetherstonhaugh.)
Betting—9 to 4 agst. ZOG, 3 to 1 Rose Garland, 7 to 2 Columbia, 4 to 1 Royal Concert, 7 to 1 Wincara, 100 to 8 any other. **Tote**—Win: 5/6. Places: 3/6, 4/6.
2½ l.; neck. First House 4, Rose Garland 5. 60 1-5 s.

4.0—SECOND AUTUMN HANDICAP HURDLE, £200. 2 m.
Grant, ch. g. by Apron—Willing Response (Mr. J. J. Parkinson), a, 10-12 ... W. T. O'Grady 1
St. Marnock, 6, 9-8 ... J. Lynott 2
Joint Stock, 5, 10-3 ... J. Costello 3
Also ran:—Dundrin, a, 10-11 (E. J. Kennedy); Bill Bailey, 6, 10-2 (R. J. O'Ryan); Astrom, a, 10-6 (T. Hyde); Silver Fizz, a, 10-0 (T. McNeill); Sweet Eileen, 4, 9-7 (J. P. Maguire); In Clover, 4, 9-7 (A. Brabazon); Glenkieran, 5, 9-7 (M. Gordon); Handy Lad, 5, 9-2 (F. Mangan). (Winner trained by Owner.)
Betting—7 to 4 agst. GRANT, 5 to 2 Joint Stock, 5 to 1 each Astrom and St. Marnock, 8 to 1 Bill Bailey, 10 to 1 each Dundrin and Sweet Eileen, 100 to 8 any other. **Tote**—Win, 7/6; places, 3/6, 5/-, 3/6.
5l.; 2l. Sweet Eileen 4, Dundrin 5, Astrom 6. Glenkieran fell.

4.30—TROYTOWN HANDICAP 'CHASE, £300. 3 m.
Golden Jack, b. g. by Goldcourt—Jacaru (Miss D. Paget), 6, 12-0 ... D. L. Moore 1
Last Minute, a, 9-9 ... R. McCarthy 2
(Winner trained by C. A. Rogers.)
Betting—2 to 1 on GOLDEN JACK. **Tote**—Win, 2/6; forecast, 3/-.
10l. 6 mins. 18 4-5 secs. Skin the Goat, 6, 9-8 (A. Brabazon) bolted on the way to the post, and was not a starter.

5.0—ARDMULCHAN HANDICAP, £100. 1m. 1f. 80yds.
Dandy Boy, b. g. by Lochiel—Flying Irish (Mr. D. Malone), 5, 8-8 ... M. Nolan 1
Benedict, 6, 9-9 ... G. Wells 2
Astrometer, 3, 7-10 ... R. Hardwidge 3
Also ran—Jonario, 4, 9-0 (R. Cartwright); Achilles, a, 8-12 (J. Moylan); Pongo, 3, 8-7 (H. Beasley); The Little Wench, 4, 8-6 (Joe Canty); Vesington Call, 4, 8-4 (T. P. Burns). (Winner trained by Owner.)
Betting—2 to 1 agst. Benedict, 3 to 1 each DANDY BOY and The Little Wench, 4 to 1 Astrometer, 10 to 1 any other. **Tote**—Win, 19/-; places, 3/6, 2/6, 3/-.
½l.; same. The Little Wench 4, Pongo 5, Achilles 6. 2m. 6 2-5s.

5.30—GRANGE PLATE, £50. A flat race. 2m.
Knocknagoran, br. g. by Sun Yat Sen—Lisnawilly (Mr. J. Grew), 5, 11-7 ... Mr. D. O'Hagan *
Principality, b. g. by Hakem—Roman Princess (Mr. G. Mullan), 4, 11-4 ... Mr. T. Nugent *
Drochat Atha, a, 11-7 ... Mr. J. R. Cox 3
Also ran—Eyesight, a, 12-0 (Mr. W. Willis); Pucka Man, 5, 11-12 (E. M. Quirke); Greenall, 6, 11-2 (Mr. M. J. Tully); Chevalaine, a, 11-12 (R. McCarthy); Aughamore, 4, 11-9 (D. Keating); Marignan, 5, 11-2 (Owner); Tonton Bay, 5, 11-2 (Mr. P. R. Smyth); Ballycasey 3, 11-5 (M. Wing); Salt, 3, 11-5 (H. Beasley); Red Roi, 3, 11-0 (Mr. D. A. Walker). (Knocknagoran trained by F. Ward; Principality by P. Sleator.)
Betting—5 to 4 on PRINCIPALITY, 4 to 1 agst. Drochat Atha, 5 to 1 Ballycasey, 8 to 1 Pucka Man, 10 to 1 KNOCKNAGORAN or any other. **Tote**—Win, Knocknagoran 26/-, Principality 1/6; places, Knocknagoran 4/6, Principality 2/6, Drochat Atha 3/-.
Dead heat; 1½l. Ballycasey 4, Aughamore 5, Marignan 6, Eyesight 7. 3m. 48 4-5s.
An objection to Knocknagoran by the rider of Drochat Atha on the grounds of bumping was overruled.

Tote Double—Grant and Dandy Boy, £7 16/-, 39 winning tickets. Pool, £339. Day's pool, £2,065 2/-. Last year, £2,900 13.

SIR T. DIXON'S YEARLINGS

Several yearlings owned by Sir Thomas Dixon have arrived at Ranger's Lodge, Curragh, to be trained by C. Brabazon.

HUNTING IN WATERFORD

Mr. J. R. Russell, Joint Master, Waterford Hunt, has been notified by the Department of Agriculture that hunting may open on November 1st, and that cub-hunting by hunt servants may begin immediately. Permission is granted, provided there are no further outbreaks of foot-and-mouth disease.

NAAS HARRIERS

The annual general meeting was held at Leahy's Hotel—Major J. J. Lawless presiding. The following officers were elected:—Joint Masters, Major J. J. Lawless and Captain M. Heffernan (both re-elected); Hon. Secretary and Treasurer, Captain W. Rea, Artillery Barracks, Kildare. It was decided to hold the opening meet at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, 29th October, at Punchestown Gate.

CYCLING

The death took place yesterday of Mr. J. J. Galavan, a former president of the Irish Road Club, and for many years a well-known timekeeper in connection with cycling and athletic competitions. As a mark of respect, the fifty miles members' time-trial of the Southern Branch of the club was abandoned.

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Hockey

Leading Teams Play Drawn Matches

Three Rock Rovers 1, Corinthians 1. Pembroke Wanderers 1, Y.M.C.A. 1. Railway Union 1, Dublin University 1. Portrane 4, Monkstown 1.

With the three leading teams playing drawn matches, the position in Section A of the Senior League remained unchanged as a result of Saturday's matches. Three Rock Rovers, Corinthians and Y.M.C.A. retaining their joint leadership with five points each.

As has happened so frequently in the past, the Corinthians' defence beat the Rovers' attack. The latter on their own ground, had much the better of the play, but they had to work desperately hard to score the equaliser in the second half against the stone wall defence of Lindsay, Gibson, King and Brewster. These four were at the top of their form, but Lindsay was particularly good, and proved once again that he is far and away the best back in the country. Apart from their snap score by Robinson in the first half, the Corinthians' forwards did not worry a sound Rovers' defence, but the home forwards could not blame themselves for failing to score more than one goal. They were given no time to shoot from close range, and from the edge of the circle it takes an exceptional shot to beat G. Ledwidge. Good anticipation by Russell brought the equaliser in the second half; he cut in to turn a shot of MacDonogh's past Ledwidge with the reverse stick.

On previous form Y.M.C.A. were fancied to beat Pembroke Wanderers at Serpentine avenue, but a tightening up of the latter's defence earned them a 1-1 draw. Y.M.C.A. did the bulk of the attacking in the first half, but D'Arcy and Dove at half-back, and McNulty and O'Keeffe behind them, were most reliable, and a goal by Hussey was the best the visitors could do at the half-way stage. Subsequently Wanderers made determined efforts to draw level, but they found Sanderson, Curtis and Taylor hard to beat, and it was near the end before Raby took a quick shot to make the scores level.

Dublin University had only themselves to blame in failing to beat Railway Union at Park avenue. For the last twenty minutes they were completely on top, but their forwards simply could not get the ball into the net. The Railway defence was steady, but, even so, none of the Trinity inners could time the ball properly. Collins gave Railway the lead in the first half, and shortly after the restart Fleming equalised from close range.

After taking the lead early in the first half, Monkstown at home were well beaten by Portrane, who showed far more thrust in attack. A newcomer on the right wing, T. O'Connor, who made a promising debut, followed in a penalty corner shot by Legge to give Monkstown the lead. P. Neville equalised from a penalty corner, and near the interval A. Griffin cut through to score the best goal of the game for Portrane. P. Neville and A. Byrne netted for the visitors in the second half.

SENIOR LEAGUE

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Three Rock R.	3	2	1	0	11	6	5
Y.M.C.A.	3	2	1	0	8	3	5
Corinthians	3	2	1	0	4	2	5
Pembroke W.	3	1	2	0	5	4	4
Portrane	3	1	1	1	6	7	3
Dublin Univ.	3	0	1	2	4	6	1
Railway Union	3	0	1	2	4	9	1
Monkstown	3	0	0	3	4	9	0

Ulster Matches.—Lisnagarvey 4, North Down 2; Banbridge 4, Wanderers 0; Newry Olympic 4, King's Own Rifles 0.

Salisbury Results

1.30—**TILSHEAD PLATE.** 7f.—**Massowa** (4/9) (H. Wragg) 1; **Hellzapoppin** (100/30) (T. Carey), 2; **Swing** (20/1) (F. Sharpe), 3. Also ran—Orident, Critique, Sundergain, Quarter Mint, Miravale, River Nymph. ¾l.; same. (F. Darling.)

2.0—**HARE WARREN HANDICAP.** 5f.—**Barry d'Or** (20/1) (C. Richards), 1; **Gold Lily** (13/8), (Beary), 2; **Salarrhodon** (20/1), (H. East), 3. Also ran—Knight's Armour, Quartier-Maitre, Carnival Boy, Costello, Future Link, Ethland, Eighteen Carat, Almond Fell, Roidennis, Silly, Symphony. 1l.; neck. (Masson).

2.30—**WESTBURY HANDICAP.** 7f.—**Theia** (10/1) (Beary) 1; **Poise** (7/4) (H. Wragg), 2; **Shrimp Sauce** (100/7) (E. Gardner), 3. Also ran—Norma, Firey Light, Mr. Sawyer, Phil Chinn, Leaping Light, Courante, Kingwood, Part Colour, Spoon Shot, Slamek, Larceny, Tiger Tim, Gnat Hole. ½l.; ½l. (Persse).

3.0—**STOCKBRIDGE NURSERY.** 5f.—**Sedition** (3/1, co-fav.) (H. Wragg), 1; **Veddah** (100/9) (E. Smith), 2; **Sweet Abbess** (100/7) (A. Wragg), 3. Also ran—Congo, (co-fav.), Sweet Swan, Muzlom, Inchmahone, Lucky Val, Bindal, Little Pip, Tororo, Vanquish, Baucis, Haddington, Thunderstorm, Adam's Peak, Farthing Damages, Laterlink Rust. ½l.; head. (F. Darling).

3.30—**WARMINSTER HANDICAP.** 1¼m.—**Sheepcote** (5/1) (E. Smith), 1; **Frivolous Friar** (9/2) (F. Sharpe), 2; **Melites** (8/1), (D. Smith), 3. Also ran—Tutor (fav.), Pearl Rock, Broken Promise, Rodeo II., Misty, Mountain Ranger, Repondent, Gingko, Dark Deeds, Trixie (disq. from third place). 1½l.; ½l. (J. Waugh).

4.0—**GROVELY PLATE.** 1m.—**Quill** (11/10) (H. Wragg), 1; **The Druid** (7/2) (D. Smith), 2; **Duna** (8/1) (T. Carey), 3. Also ran—Temple Drive, Broquart, Grecian Victory, Tamworth, Poet Prince, Great Fun, Farther West, Red April, Nimble Step, S.H. Rector, Bura, Dusty Answer, Roman Law, Obelisk, Fingertips, John Wells. Neck; 1l. (O. Bell).



Golf captains at the Clontarf dinner—Mr. M. Hourihan, Howth; Mr. T. J. Cullen, Clontarf; Dr. Harbison, Sutton, and Mr. J. J. Hickey, Royal Dublin.

Golf

A G.U.I Black List?

IS a Golfing Union of Ireland "black register" needed? The captain of the Clontarf Club, Mr. Thomas Cullen, thinks it is time the Union had one. Replying to the toast of his health at the captain's dinner on Saturday night, he said he knew of more than one undesirable getting into clubs who had been asked to resign from others, but who, after a few months, were able to induce friends to fill in nomination papers and get them passed by committees unaware of what had occurred elsewhere. His view was that it should be obligatory on every club to report delinquents to the Golfing Union of Ireland after they had called for their resignations, and so assist club secretaries and committees who might have to deal with proposal forms from the same people later on. He congratulated the club on its continued prosperity. They had a full list of members, and that for lady associates had to be closed long since.

Mr. Alan Kidd, Hon. Secretary of the Golfing Union of Ireland, responding to the toast of the Union, said that the point raised by the captain was an important one. It had never been brought to his notice before, but he had no doubt there was something in it and promised it would have his serious attention. He thought that the matter which Mr. Cullen dealt with could be got over by a change in the proposal forms of clubs, which would make it compulsory on candidates for membership to state the club or clubs to which they formerly belonged. In that way secretaries would be able to get into touch with such club or clubs and make certain of the *bona-fides* of candidates. He appealed to members of clubs to join the Leinster Alliance, which would open its season at Elm Park next Sunday with the McGrath cups. The following month they would have the *Irish Times* Shield, which was the most important of the eight competitions they intended to hold this season. All the outings, as announced in the *Irish Times*, would be held at the most convenient clubs, owing to the difficulties of transport on Sundays, and there would be only one competition monthly, with draws from 10.30 until 1 o'clock.

Alderman Byrne and Mr. J. J. Hickey, captain of Royal Dublin, responded for the guests, who included Dr. Harbison, captain of Sutton; Mr. Hourihane, captain of Howth, and Mr. James Mannix, president of St. Anne's.

CLUB RESULTS AND NOTICES

Foxrock.—Medal final—A. F. Cooke (16), 79; S. H. Seymour (9), 81; P. J. Flynn (19), 81. Sweepstakes—H. J. McAuley (5), 72; Fred Clarke (9), 74; E. R. Brittain (7), 74.

Kilcroney.—Fourball—A. Dunne (5) and E. King (16), 5 up (on second nine); L. J. Smyth (8) and R. Browne (13), 5 up; J. B. Ganly (5) and B. O'Brien (14), 5 up. Ladies—Miss B. Scott winner; Mrs. L. J. Smyth second.

Rathfarnham.—Turkey—I.: V. K. Bailey (8), 70; N. T. Bailey (14), 71. II.: J. L. McHugh (20), 69; F. Thompson (20), 76. Ladies—To-morrow: Box final.

Castle.—Fourball—I.: R. Murray (10) and J. G. Stephen (12), 74 points; M. H. Gill (9) and E. Scott (12), 67. II.: C. J. Mortimer (10) and T. O'Rourke (15), 67; F. Bishop (18) and A. W. Warnock (18), 66. Saturday—Stableford fourball in aid of St. Vincent de Paul Society.

Leinster Alliance.—McGrath Cups, fourball, Elm Park, Sunday, 26th. Draws from 10.30 to 1 o'clock. General meeting follows.

Malahide.—Monthly Cup—G. Bowers, 75; K. Bissett, 76.

Woodbrook.—Ladies—To-morrow: Fourball. Arrange partners and opponents.

Bray.—Medal finals—I.: F. Knott (9), 70; C. B. Mallen (4), 72. II.: K. O'Brien (20), 68; A. J. Keegan (14), 71.

Grange.—Member v. professional final—A. Goodridge (9), 48; R. J. Murphy (12), 48; J. S. Pickering (12), 48. Sweepstakes—I.: W. Ruttle (12), 45; W. Fitzgerald (9), 46. II.: M. J. Campbell (16), 45½; J. A. Lennon (15), 46; S. Tracy (15), 46.

Island.—October 25—Semi-open mixed foursomes, bogey; post entries; choose opponents.

Hermitage.—Ladies—Hermitage 3rd team beat Greystones 3rd team by 7-3.

Delgany.—Ladies—To-morrow: Mrs. May's prize, 18 holes, bogey. Hon. Secretary's prize—Miss McCormick (17) and Miss McEntagart (6), 76.

Dun Laoghaire.—Turkey—B. McGoldrick and C. S. Hartnett, 31½; W. Holmes and E. C. Clayton, 32¼; I. Webb and D. Hogan, 32½.

Sutton.—St. Andrew Cup—Qualified and draw as follows:—B v. P. J. Moloney; R. Quinn v. T. S. Moran; J. P. Spencer, jun., v. G. Wilkinson; A v. J. A. Harbison. Tie for places—A and B will play off as follows:—J. H. Gorman and D. Moran; M. Ruddle and marker. Saturday—Competition for qualifiers in aggregate entry competition; strokes. Ladies—To-morrow—Stableford. Draws 10.30 and 2.40.

Elm Park.—Mixed foursomes—C. Boden (18) and Miss P. O'Grady (18), 10 up; S. Sheehan (11) and Mrs. Sheehan (36), 9 up. Wednesday Cup final—S. Wilmot (11), 70 (on second nine); H. Farrelly (18), 70.

Clontarf.—Fourball—R. Rice (6) and S. McMahon (7), 4 up. St. Andrew's Cup—K. Holland beat J. Reid in the final.

Killiney.—Turkey—E. McCormick (17) and E. J. Hart (24), 4 up; G. J. Young (8) and W. H. Fryer (12), 4 up; G. C. Higginbottom (10) and J. Montgomery (12), 4 up (won on toss).

TABLE TENNIS

Clubs or leagues who wish to promote open tournaments during the coming season should apply for permission to the new Leinster Branch Secretary, Mr. J. O'Keeffe, 125 Sundrive road, Dublin, not later than to-day. New officers of the Leinster Branch: Chairman, W. H. Leadbeater; Hon. Secretary, J. O'Keeffe, 125 Sundrive road; Hon. Treasurer, H. Collins, 15 Charlotte street.

Lord Zetland's Beinn Dearg will not contest the Manchester November Handicap, in which his stable companion, Sir Peter, will be ridden by P. Evans.

Pontefract Results

2.0—**PRIORY PLATE.** 1m.—**First Throw** (20/1) (J. Smith), 1; **Lucky Heiress** (11/4) (T. Loates), 2; **Nala** (6/1) (T. Dearie), 3. Also ran—Tiberian (fav.), Pride of Lochiel, Overdraft, Singapore Tree, Keran, Byepass, Schooner, Beth Din. 2l.; short head. (T. Hall.)

2.30—**KNOTTINGLEY NURSERY.** 6f.—**East Glen** (5/2) (D. Dick), 1; **Coverdale** (33/1) (Sirett), 2; **Cerado Grey** (20/1) (R. Crisp), 3. Also ran—Sun Mist, Squadron Leader, Wash Out f., Coronation Robe, Lion of Judah, Barravakeen, Kloof, Graceful, Handsome Territorial, Euphemia c., Saint Foin, Constellation, Winco, Sybil Sherwood, Tilly c., Loch Maree, Jigjiga, Fair Lucy, Paddock's Pet. 3l.; short head. (M. Peacock.)

3.0—**PONTEFRACT HANDICAP.** 1½m.—**Quick Arrow** (9/2) (G. Bridgland), 1; **Harthill** (100/8) (R. Lacey), 2; **Happy Thoughts** (11/2) (Sirett), 3. Also ran—Congratulations, Fair Wind, Clos du Roi, Slip In, Rattler, Meshra, Brigadore, Silksworth, Our Policy, Kilnaglory. 3l.; 5l. (Fk. Butters.)

3.30—**MOAT HALL PLATE.** 1m. 2f.—**Forestation** (11/8) (K. Mulins), 1; **Gallabat** (10/1) (P. Evans), 2; **Salmoneus** (20/1) (T. Lowrey), 3. Also ran—Blotting Pad, Eight Reigns, Hill Fight, Irish Rock, Ransack, Dunoon, Magic Picture, Limonetta, Mineral Water, Fair Appeal, Hey Presto, Helium, Run Rabbit Run, Richmond Lad, Electric Wire. 3l.; 1½l. (V. Smyth.)

4.0—**NORTHERN STABLES PLATE.** 1m.—**Silver Scuttle** (100/8) (A. Richardson), 1; **Seringhi** (100/8) (K. Mullins), 2; **Perilous Record** (20/1) (W. Bullock), 3. Also ran—Planchado, Lion Tamer (fav.), Ridley, Snapdragon, Mascolette, Ferniehurst, Tall Story, Sea Fever, Monopole, Chatmo, Black Cloak, Component, Daydawn, Distant Bells, Your Pleasure, Scottish Ranger, Shelton, Royal Navy, Kingship. ¾l.; 3l. (M. Peacock.)

4.30—**CASTLEFORD PLATE.** 5f.—**Springshoot** (20/1) (W. Bullock), 1; **St. Leo** (9/2) (A. Richardson), 2; **Melianthus** (20/1) (J. Thwaites), 3. Also ran—Nothing Nicer, Sailing Master, Lazybogan, Sea God, Tartan Tippet, Balmoral, Sherwood Ranger, Dunmow, Princess Tony, Precision, Rejected Addresses, Witchcraft, Juliet, Jury, Cambay, Benares, Mairi Bhan. 1½l.; 3l. (Barclay.)

5.0—**FEATHERSTONE HANDICAP.** 5f.—**Mr. Sellers** (5/1) (P. Evans), 1; **Chancery** (10/1) (J. Taylor), 2; **Masco** (10/1) (Sirett), 3. Also ran—Albacore, Leading Topic, Ghar Ullin, Tetrabar, Portrack, Cetacea, The Drummer (fav.), Willow Knight, Stratula, Sea Fret, Admiral Fisher, Maltano, Coral Pink, George Walker, Irenicon, Marcellina. Short head; ¾l. (R. J. Colling.)

Rugby Football

First Defeat of Season For Old Belvedere

LANSDOWNE ... 13 OLD BELVEDERE 0

AS in previous games this season, Old Belvedere appeared to be content to let the opposition "make the running," but this time they waited too long before a real effort in their play became evident. The result was that Lansdowne beat them decisively by a dropped goal and 3 tries to nothing. It was Lansdowne's fourth win off the reel and Belvedere's first defeat. The absence of J. A. Byrne from the losing side was more than offset by Lansdowne being without the Cosgrave brothers, who probably would have added badly-needed punch to the attack.

The home pack laid the foundations of success by winning the large majority of the scrums, by faster following up and by doing a good deal of tackling of the Belvedere backs. Lansdowne backs were easily held in their combined movements, but the individual sallies of O. Moran, who was much more than an efficient "sub" at scrum-half; N. Burke, P. Boland and R. Dennehy, caused a good deal of trouble, while C. Murphy's sense of anticipation was as keen and as effective as ever at full back.

P. Quinn was frequently in trouble at full back for the losers, and was forced into making a couple of costly errors. F. M. Quinn, at stand-off, was quite unambitious until very late in the game, and although G. J. Quinn and B. Quinn tried very hard in the centre they seldom got more than a few yards. Easily their best back was D. Thorpe, at scrum-half. S. Henry, P. O'Sullivan and J. O'Dwyer played very well in the pack, but there was no cohesion and very little dash.

A. Devanny scored two tries in the first half, and in the second N. Burke dropped a goal from a sharp angle, and Moran got a try by a solo effort which took the defence by surprise.

BLACKROCK FADE OUT

WANDERERS... 17 BLACKROCK C. 6

For the first twenty minutes' play at Williamstown on Saturday Blackrock College were simply all over Wanderers, and in that period scored 6 points. The game then changed completely, and Wanderers, taking over the attack, led at the interval by 12 points to 6, and in the end finished up winners by 2 goals from tries, 1 dropped goal, and 1 penalty goal to 1 penalty goal and 1 try.

Once again the Wanderers' captain, A. B. Robertson, played a leading part in the success of his side. He scored 11 of the 17 points, and altogether in the four matches played and won by Wanderers he has registered 32 points. Robertson's partner at centre on Saturday was S. T. McCollum, the former Trinity player, and he acquitted himself right well. J. Collins and C. C. Fox made an excellent partnership at half-back, and the forward line, when they settled down, more than held their own with the College eight.

D. Mayne, the Blackrock College centre, opened the scoring with a try, after some clever passing between D. Browne and Ferris. T. Brophy failed to convert, but a few minutes later he landed a penalty goal. Wanderers then attacked, and Robertson, after dropping a neat goal, followed up with a penalty, and converted a clever try scored by F. Cruise just before the interval. Both sides had strong spells of attack in the second period, but the only score was a try by J. Spicer for Wanderers after a round of passing, and again Robertson added the extra points.

STRONG FINISH

BECTIVE......... 15 DUBLIN U....... 5

Free scoring in the last quarter of an hour gave Bective Rangers a decisive win over Dublin University in the College Park on Saturday by a goal from a try, a dropped goal, a penalty goal and a try (15 points) to a goal (5 points). They had nearly all the play, which was remarkable, because the Trinity pack gave the ball out regularly, L. C. Jacobson's display as hooker being first-class. Supplied so freely with the ball, the University backs failed to live up to expectation, and their only score came from an intercept by McIntyre, who ran more than half the length of the field to send S. Walsh over, Carry goaling.

That score came midway through the second half. Bective had led at the interval by a penalty goal, kicked by M. Forde, and were unlucky not to be further ahead. They continued to press in the second period, but scores eluded them till after Trinity's effort, when, in quick succession, H. Cruise scored two tries, one of which Forde converted, and he also dropped a clever goal.

The quick-kicking Bective forwards gave a great display in the loose, and quite upset attempted combination by the University backs. A. O'Meara stood out, while K. O'Brien, J. Doyle and D. O'Neill were also prominent. D. O'Connor was in great form at out-half, and, despite bad service from the forwards, he and D. O'Driscoll did wonders. M. Forde and H. Cruise were best of the three-quarters. M. Solomons, S. Barnes and W. J. Moynan were Jacobson's strongest supporters in the pack. Carry and de Lacy had a poor day at half, while S. Walsh and K. McIntyre were the pick of the three-quarters.

ST. MARY'S BEST

ST. MARY'S ... 22 MONKSTOWN ... 3

St. Mary's College put up their best performance of the season, when, at Sydney Parade, they beat Monkstown by 2 goals and 4 tries to a try.

In the first half, with the wind in their favour, Monkstown played up strongly, and had an even share of the play, the sides changing, with each having scored a try. In the second half, St. Mary's took charge of the game, and the attacks of Monkstown were few and far between.

The St. Mary's backs gave quite a good display, the whole three-quarter line being very good. The halves, Lehane and Coveney, had a fine understanding, Coveney being particularly brilliant, and his try was a masterly effort. Of the forwards, Meaney, Brennan and Burke were much to the fore. S. Craig played very well as full for Monkstown, and got out of a hard task with credit. G. Salmon was the pick of the three-quarters, and Morris tackled in great style, saving many awkward situations. Ganly, Blackmore and Aherne were the best of the forwards.

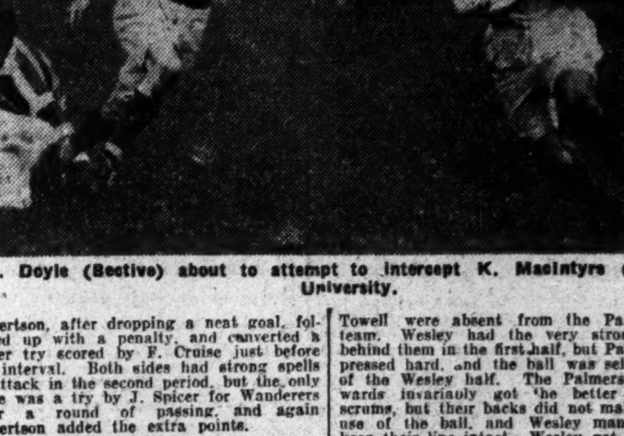
Midway in the first half, Salmon scored a spectacular try for Monkstown. He ran fifty yards, and, nearing Norton, the full-back, kicked ahead, regained possession, and got over. Bergin levelled matters by scoring for St. Mary's, Norton failing to convert. In the second half tries were scored for St. Mary's by Murphy (2), Coveney, W. Meehan and Bergin, P. Meehan converting twice.

OLD WESLEY WIN

OLD WESLEY ...... 5 PALMERSTON 0

The play in the match at Donnybrook between Old Wesley and Palmerston was very scrappy and uninteresting. Both teams were without the services of some of their regular players, Wesley being without McIlroy, Glen, Lambert and N. McConnell, while Redmond, Willis, Fine and Towell were absent from the Palmerston team. Wesley had the very strong wind behind them in the first half, but Palmerston pressed hard, and the ball was seldom out of the Wesley half. The Palmerston forwards invariably got the better of the scrums, but their backs did not make much use of the ball, and Wesley managed to keep their line intact. Wesley got the only score in the match near half-time, when from a passing movement J. McConnell cut through and passed to J. J. McConnell, who scored between the posts. Griffin added the points.

Verso was good at out-half, but the centres were not fast enough to make use of the openings he made. Conway is a fast winger, but he got few opportunities to show his speed. Flynn, Towson and Phair were good in the Palmerston pack, and Polden, Sweetman and Rooney were the best of the Wesley forwards. T. McCann, the Palmerston full back—although this is not his usual position—played well.



J. Doyle (Bective) about to attempt to intercept K. MacIntyre (Dublin University.

A BRIGHT GAME

U.C.D. .... 11 BOHEMIANS 6

At Limerick on Saturday University College, Dublin, defeated Bohemians by 1 goal 1 penalty goal and 1 try to 1 penalty goal and 1 try. The game throughout was marked by bright open and fast football, with very little between the teams. The back divisions were pretty evenly matched, but the superiority of U.C.D. in the scrummages was the deciding factor.

Bohemians had the first score after eighteen minutes, when Ryan landed a penalty goal. Shortly afterwards Kenneally "dummied" his way past the Bohemians' defenders for a try near the posts and D. Ryan converted. Early in the second half D. Ryan landed a penalty goal. From a scrum the ball was dribbled over for Bohemians' second score. Just on time the U.C.D. backs got moving, and O'Flanagan finished off a nice movement by crossing far out.

For the winners O'Flanagan, Kenneally, Thompson (backs), O'Malley, Ryan, Headon and Heagerty were prominent. Bohemians were best served by Higgins, O'Neill, Torrens (backs), Montgomery, G. O'Connor, Murray and Ryan.

Belfast Matches—North 8, Queen's 6; Malone 8, Collegians 0; Civil Service 0, Royal Artillery 0.

Cork Matches—Constitution 3, U.C.C. 3; Dolphin 12, Sunday's Well 4.

Limerick Charity Cup—Young Munster 5, Presentation 4.

Schools' Matches—Portora 9, Methodist College (Belfast) 0; St. Columba's S.C.T. 16, St. Andrew's S.C.T. 3; St. Columba's J.C.T. 21, High School J.C.T. 6.

Greyhound Racing

Fine Performance by Ruby Border

There was not much excitement as regards the finishes at Shelbourne Park on Saturday night, but the backers went away well satisfied, for the favourites in the two principal races gave them no cause for alarm. In the Derby Consolation final Ruby Border made light of an outside draw, and, taking the lead from the box, was never in the slightest danger in recording the excellent time of 30.13 secs. The Open Sweepstakes was exactly the same story, for Derryten got the inside berth around the first bend, and held off Princess Mona's challenge comfortably. Here again the time was good—30.39 secs.

525 YARDS—WEE TIME (1), evens, 1; Creagh Lad (5), 5 to 1, 2; Sally Mill Bridge (2), 5 to 1, 3. Also ran—Barrett's Cross (4), 4 to 1; Country Gentleman (3), 3/1; Greek Archer (6), 6 to 1. 6l.; 1½l. 31.64 secs.

525 YARDS HURDLES—WIRELESS REGENT (4), 6 to 4 on, 1; Intelligence (1), 5 to 2 agst., 2; Mountain Oyster (6), 7 to 1, 3. Also ran—Kylock Stardust (3), 4 to 1. Distance: same. 31.65 secs.

525 YARDS—FOREST CAT (2), 4 to 1, 1; Sea Leopard (3), 3 to 1, 2; Reel Rum (1), 2 to 1, 3. Also ran—Inquisitive Man (6), 7 to 2; Shanroe Sandills (4), 7 to 2; Kilgarve Smokey (5), 8 to 1. Neck; distance. 31.05 secs.

OPEN SWEEPSTAKE (525 yards)—DERRYTEN (3), evens, 1; Princess Mona (4), 4 to 1 agst., 2; Negro's Brilliant (5), 7 to 1, 3. Also ran—Stainless Fox (2), 2 to 1; Silent Square (6), 6 to 1; Old Man Daddy (1), 100 to 6. 3l.; same. 30.39 secs.

DERBY CONSOLATION STAKE FINAL (525 yards)—RUBY BORDER (5), evens, 1; Brother Acid (3), 6 to 1 agst., 2; Munster Mixture (2), 2 to 1, 3. Also ran—Negro's Crown (6), 4 to 1; Young Shell (1), 10 to 1; Lad's Slashaway (4), 10 to 1. Distance; neck. 30.13 secs.

525 YARDS HURDLES—FIALLACH (3), 7 to 2 agst., 1; Baytown Prince (4), 5 to 4 on, 2; What's the Name (3), 7 to 2, 3. Also ran—Kylock Hope (1), 7 to 2. 2½l.; ½l. 32.16 secs.

550 YARDS—HEALTH CLAD (6), 10 to 1, 1; Roving Model (2), 3 to 1, 2; Smokey's Best (1), 4 to 1, 3. Also ran—Negro's Master (4), 7 to 4; Dear and Fair (3), 3 to 1; Thomastown Yank (5), 6 to 1. ½l.; short head. 32.83 secs.

SHELBOURNE PARK—TO-NIGHT

8.15—**525 YARDS**—Staffordstown, Just Get Out, Brilliant Pet, Rum Boyo, Irish Freedom, Shrulawn Boy, Down to Slips, Clere's Gift.

525 YARDS—Miss Mopsey, Twinkle, Heather Ware, Masher's Cutlet, Ailsa Molly, Ormond Fairy, Easter Parade.

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525 YARDS—Two Bright Eyes, Bunlahy, Knabo's Boy, Cool Collector, Cavan Tip, Social Boy, Count Belasarius, Silvery Sandills.

525 YARDS—Miss Calino, Stainless Fox, Orzel, Swif King, Captain Calling, Valiant Chieftain, Joanie's Son, Ankle Dick.

525 YARDS (Hurdles)—Emly Bright, Hedge at Once, Kylock Regent, Real Lemon, Miller's Craft, Hobzee for Winners.

525 YARDS—South Bend, Baffling Biddy, Paris Eve, Spiram, Little Nettle, General Belle, Rushwee's Capture, Kylock Hope.

WOMEN'S HOCKEY

Senior League.—Pembroke Wanderers I. 7, Old Wesley 1; Muckross 8, Shielmartin 2; Maids of the Mountains 6, U.C.D. 1; Old College 2, Optimists 1; Wicklow Past 5, Dublin University 3; Civil Service 3, Muckross II. 2; Pembroke Wanderers II. 1, Maids II. 0; Loreto Past 4, Newcomes 0.

David Nicoll, who was formerly apprenticed to J. Russell and later to C. A. Cowie, has had his indentures transferred to Steve Donoghue.



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GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

AN ROINN TALMHAIDHEACHTA.
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D. TWOMEY, Secretary.
18th October, 1941.

EMERGENCY POWERS (CONTROL OF PRICES) (NO. 80) ORDER, 1941 (AMENDMENT) (NO. 1) ORDER, 1941.

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And notice is hereby further given that after the said 1st December, 1941, the Executor will proceed to distribute the Assets of the said Deceased, having regard only to the claims of which notice and particulars shall have been given as above required.

Dated this 10th day of October, 1941.
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U.C.D. NOTES

ANNUAL RETREAT THIS WEEK

DURING this week the annual Retreat for the students is taking place in the University Church. It will be given by the Rev. Father Canice, O.F.M.Cap. An announcement has also been made about the Catholic Theology Lectures, which will, as usual, be given on Thursday evenings in the Physics Theatre. The Rev. Father Kissane, L.S.S., one of the lecturers, has just been appointed Vice-President of Maynooth, but he will continue his work in College.

These lectures have been well supported in past years, and it is probable that attendances will be even higher during the coming terms. Arts students have usually predominated, though not to any marked extent, as other faculties are very well represented. Within the last year the general revival of interest in such subjects has been especially noticeable in College, and it seems extremely likely that a considerable increase in the size of the classes will take place.

COMING CONCERTS

The Musical Society has decided to give two concerts, as in former years. This decision has been influenced by the obvious sincerity of the lamentations which greeted the suggestion that only one concert would be given. The Society also considered the idea of giving a number of short recitals during the year, and here, too, they have received strong encouragement. There is no doubt that such a programme would be really successful, well balanced between vocal and instrumental music.

At the moment, however, the main attention of the Society is taken up with the first concert, which will take place before Christmas. Its first practices are on the 29th and 31st of this month for choir and orchestra respectively, and it is likely that the programme for the coming concert will include "The Legend of Loughrea" and Mendelssohn's "Hear My Prayer," while it is possible that Elgar's "Music Makers" will also be given.

The Swimming Club's recent dinner in "86" was the first function of its kind to be held there since the re-opening of the building. It was a complete success—a fact which gave much satisfaction in College. Apart from the suitability of the building for the purpose of entertaining, the catering was beyond reproach—a fact which has earned much praise for Mrs. Whiteside. The ordinary catering in the Restaurant, too, has become so popular that the authorities have announced that from November 1st the facilities in "86" will be available only to those who are members of the University Union.

OFF TO CAMBRIDGE

Examination results in the Arts faculty were not completed in this column last week. First place, first class honours in groups in the B.A. also went to Miss Julia Sullivan in Celtic Studies (Mode B), to Mr. E. C. A. Murphy in Irish and English, while Miss Brigid Fox, Mr. Patrick Cusack and Miss Marie P. Stewart all took first honours in Latin and a Modern Language.

The important travelling studentship in Economics was won by Mr. James J. Byrne, B.A., who last year took first place in the Legal and Political group. His thesis, which was on British public finance in the second year of the war, was outstanding among six or seven very brilliant pieces of post-graduate work. At such times as this is felt particularly the lack of any means for publishing first class research work done in the College. Mr. Byrne, who is a solicitor's apprentice, is leaving within the next few days for Cambridge to commence his studentship studies.

The Irish Times

MONDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1941.

The Russian Scene

According to the Russians, the battle for Moscow is only beginning; the Germans claim that it is virtually at an end. The Russian radio on Saturday denied a statement that a wedge had been driven between the armies of Marshals Voroshilov and Timoshenko, whereupon the Germans retorted that the driving of such a wedge was quite unnecessary, if not, indeed, impossible. Marshal Voroshilov's armies were encircled at Leningrad and Marshal Timoshenko's forces already had been annihilated. As usual, both sides seem to be making extravagant statements: the only report that can be accepted in its entirety is that fighting is continuing along the whole front. Undoubtedly, the Germans are making a bold bid to capture Moscow while the weather still is even reasonably good. The High Command has removed a certain number of seasoned troops from the southern sector, thereby for the moment easing the heavy pressure on the armies of Marshal Budyenny, and has thrown them into the battle for Moscow. The Russians also have brought up substantial reinforcements, including Siberian and even Mongolian units; and, while the German radio claims the destruction of Marshal Timoshenko's armies, the German High Command reports obstinate fighting, and even counter-attacks, by the Russians in front of Moscow. According to reports in certain Parisian newspapers from their correspondents at the front, General von Bock, who is in command of the central sector, already has "by-passed" Moscow by means of his famous "pincer" movement. The Soviet capital is alleged to be encircled, and General von Bock is about to attack from the east. On the other hand, the Russian bulletins speak of counter-thrusts against the advancing Germans in the areas of Kalinin, one hundred miles to the North-west of Moscow, and of Orel, some two hundred miles to the south-west. It seems that a new line of defence has been formed on the roads leading to Moscow. Many thousands of civilians have been brought out from the capital to hasten this work, and preparations obviously are being made to dispute every yard of ground with the Germans. In the south, the fall of Odessa has been followed by another German offensive, and, although the reinforcement of General von Bock's armies has weakened the forces in the Ukraine, the Russians admit that the situation of some of their units in this area is "disquieting." Nevertheless, there is no sign, so far, of a Russian collapse, even in the extreme south. An Italian cavalry division, which took part in operations on the Sea of Azov, is reported to have received rough handling from the Soviet's Cossacks; and, although Herr Hitler has sent a special telegram of congratulation to King Michael, declaring that the Rumanians' part in the capture of Odessa will live in history as a notable feat of Arms, the Russians assert that the Rumanian army's losses before Odessa have amounted to at least a quarter of a million men.

Snow already is falling in Russia. Within the next fortnight winter will have arrived, and, although there is no reason to suppose that the Germans are not well prepared for it, even their best *Panzer* divisions will be forced to slacken their speed. Assuredly, Herr Hitler is anxious to take Moscow before the end of the month, in order to provide comfortable winter quarters for large numbers of General von Bock's troops; but the capture of the Soviet capital must not be regarded as his main objective. What he really wants is Caucasian oil. For that reason, most of the military experts believe that the Germans will concentrate their main effort during the next few months on the South, where, incidentally, weather conditions will not be nearly so bad as they are likely to be in the North. The Russians are thoroughly prepared for such a move. Their spokesmen declare that the Caucasian armies are lying behind Marshal Budyenny's forces, and, by all accounts, these troops are among the best of the Soviet's military establishment. Hitherto, of course, the military experts have been almost uniformly wrong in their attempts to predict Herr Hitler's next move; but the Germans' need for oil must be increasing, however vast their stocks may have been, and a drive towards the Caucasus seems to be indicated. During the last four months the German armies must have suffered heavy losses both in men and in materials of war. The men can be replaced without undue difficulty; for Germany still has colossal reserves. The problem in respect of tanks and aircraft will not be quite so easy to solve; but there is no doubt that the German High Command still disposes of sufficient resources to undertake a fresh campaign for the Caucasus almost immediately. From the Caucasus it is only a step to Iran and the rich Persian oilfields. This source of oil supply is in the hands of the British, whose Middle-Eastern strategy is based on its protection. From Tobruk to Teheran, a distance of some 1,800 miles, the British have constituted what might be termed a "shadow front" with a view to the ultimate defence of the Iranian oil wells. The military occupation first of Syria, and then of Iran, together with the suppression of the revolt in Iraq, was calculated to strengthen the defences of Britain's oil interests; and it is quite possible that the major land struggle between the British and Germans will take place in the Middle-East. Prodigious issues are at stake in this part of the world. Beyond Iran lies India, Singapore, and, in the last analysis, even Australia. With the advent of a new Government in Japan, the already heavy preoccupations of the British Government have been intensified, and the prospects of the extension of the war to the East have been heightened. For the moment, however, Moscow's fate is occupying the world's attention. When that has been decided the problem of the Middle-East probably will leap into immediate prominence.

"A High Probability"

This State has kept itself out of the war for two years, and many people have begun to accept the easy belief that it will keep itself out permanently. No doctrine could be more dangerous. It was condemned with the utmost vehemence by Mr. de Valera at Wexford yesterday. "In speaking," he said, "of the likelihood of our involvement in this war we are not dealing with some distant, vague possibility. We are dealing with what must by all reasonable people be classed as a high probability, unless God keeps us particularly in His mercy." These are uncomfortable words, but their truth cannot be disputed. Ireland has been in peril of attack since the war began, and the peril will become greater, rather than less, until it ends. In proportion, the vigilance of her people must be increased rather than allowed to diminish. It may be dull to turn out on L.D.F. parades, to rehearse the work of A.R.P. organisation which has been rehearsed so often before, to practise the innumerable routine duties of the L.S.F. If there were a certainty of attack in, say, six months, we think that tens of thousands of new volunteers would flock into these organisations; but they are reluctant to commit themselves so long as they have a lingering hope that the country never will be in serious danger. That is the wrong attitude. One trained man or woman is worth a dozen without training. It is no patriotism to offer to take a rifle when the enemy is already in our midst: the offer will be rejected—without thanks. What the country needs is a host of men who are willing to put up with the hard work of training, so that they will be able to furnish a real account of themselves when the need arises—as it may arise at any moment. "We seem," says Mr. de Valera, "to be preparing only by fits and starts." When a bomb is dropped on Irish soil, or a statesman refers to this country in an important speech, people become excited and rush to offer their services; then, as the months pass and nothing further happens, the excitement dies down, and their energies slacken. The people, however, whom the country needs are those who join one of the defence organisations and discharge loyally all the duties, however irksome and seemingly aimless, that are required of them.

Recruits are wanted for every branch of the defence Services—for the Army, the Local Defence Force, the Local Security Force, the A.R.P. organisation, the fire-fighting service; and they are wanted now. They must take the chance that the country never will be attacked, and that their labour will be in vain; but the chance, according to Mr. de Valera, is not large. A nation at war makes heavy sacrifices; a nation at peace in the midst of war must be prepared to make sacrifices almost equally heavy. Everybody in this country has a part to play. The fighting Services—full time and part-time—must be kept manned and in fighting trim; the A.R.P. organisation, on which, perhaps, will fall the most severe burden of all, cannot afford to relax. Furthermore, the country must be assured of food. At the worst, says the Taoiseach, we are faced with all the horror of actual conflict; at the best, thousands of people must suffer unprecedented hardship and privation this winter. The farmers, then, have a clear duty: they must produce the food, or most of it, that formerly was carried from abroad. There must be such organisation as will bring the food to the people—and the not less necessary fuel. If this country is to survive, all plans must be based upon the assumption that the time of crisis will be to-morrow, within a week, within a month. The great mass of national energy ought to have been harnessed by this time. The Army ought to be up to establishment; not only ought there to be more men in the other defence Services, but every man—and woman—in them ought to be at a high pitch of training; the farmers ought to be hard at work, and every city ought to have a fool-proof plan for the feeding and warming of its population. We certainly cannot say that these ambitions have been realised, thanks to the happy-go-lucky spirit that seems to animate so many people. History is full of Irish ventures that failed because the participants were unprepared when the moment arrived. The reproach must not be laid at our door again.

The Tea Ration

The increase of the tea ration from half an ounce to one ounce per person per week officially came into force yesterday, and from to-day housewives may purchase an additional half-ounce a head for their families. This increase, which, until a short time ago, was totally unexpected, should prove a great boon to hundreds of families all over the country; for, while there are many housewives who, for example, find it difficult to make three ounces of tea fulfil the requirements of six adults, few will find the new ration of six ounces a week inadequate for their requirements, especially since the last few months on short rations have taught the people of this country the meaning of the word economy. In the matter of tea rationing—unlike that of petrol rationing—the Government has shown its wisdom; for, when a commodity begins to run short, it is wiser to ration the people severely for a short time, and later, if supplies continue, to increase that ration, rather than to raise false hopes by beginning with fairly substantial amounts, and gradually decreasing the ration as the reserves dwindle away. If the new Order had the effect of decreasing the present ration by half there would be much dissatisfaction throughout the country. As matters were—with the possible exception of a few *café* proprietors who were obliged to draw too severely on their slender resources or purchase additional supplies of tea at "fancy" prices—everybody was just becoming accustomed to the meagre half-ounce, and the news of the additional half-ounce came as a pleasant surprise. It is to be hoped, however, that the Government has not been premature in allowing the extra ration; to decrease the amount again might have a bad effect on the population. The extra supply of tea which is now available may have repercussions outside the family circle. *Cafés* and restaurants will have greater supplies of tea, but the demand hardly will be so great; during the period of severe shortage many housewives cultivated the habit of having tea in town in order to conserve their private supplies, and from now on such small economies will not be necessary. It is also probable that the increased ration will destroy the "black market" in tea a great deal more effectively than any Government Order could destroy it; for, if people can have as much tea as they require legally, they hardly will pay nine or ten shillings a pound to obtain it under false pretences.

COURT AND PERSONAL

Princess Helena Victoria, patron of the Margarets' Fund for mobile canteens (Y.M.C.A.), last week presided at a luncheon to the Margarets' Committee given at Claridge's Hotel, London.

The Earl of Bessborough, the new President of the Royal Sanitary Institute, was invested with the insignia of his office last week by the chairman, Mr. P. T. Harrison.

The Earl of Rosebery opened the Paderewski Hospital in Edinburgh last week in the presence of General Sikorski, Prime Minister of Poland.

Sir Percy Loraine had an audience with the King last week on his retirement from the Diplomatic Service. He was British Ambassador in Rome from April, 1939, until June, 1940. He is 61 years of age, and had been British Ambassador in Turkey before going to Rome.

The Lord Mayor (Alderman P. S. Doyle, T.D.) on Saturday last opened a new hall for St. James's Band at Mount Brown, Kilmainham.

The engagement is announced, and the marriage will take place on 1st January, 1942, at St. John's Church, Sligo, between Rev. Charles F. Allen, Kilbrogan, Bandon, son of Rev. F. H. and Mrs. Allen, Carrigrohane, Cork, and Ida F., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George McKinley, Rosslare House, Sligo.

Distinctive new models in "Traveluxe" Sports Coats, tailored in Alpaca, Angora, Lamb's-wool and Camelhair, have arrived at Switzers Ladies' Coat Dept.

Helena Rubinstein's trained London Assistant will be at Switzers to-morrow and daily during the next fortnight to give Treatments and Consultations (by appointment). All the well-known Rubinstein Preparations can also be had at Switzers—at London prices.

Margaret Watson continues to receive additions to her stock of Autumn Coats, Suits and Frocks. Some lovely colourings in Tailored Tweed Knit Jersey Suits just arrived.—17a Dawson street.

Leaders of Fashion in all Spectacle Wear. Dixon and Hempenstall, Grafton street.

Richard Alan, of 58 Grafton st., designed the Trousseau selected by Miss Quinn, of Waterford. The wedding ensemble was a Lime Green Angora two-piece, trimmed with brown squirrel, and with it Miss Quinn wore a squirrel hat and brown accessories.

Miss Myles wore a two-piece of Crushed Strawberry Angora for her wedding. The dress had a delightful topped bodice and pleated skirt, while the jacket worn over it had pleated pockets, finished with topped bows. Two-piece by Richard Alan, 58 Grafton st.

Miss King, of Carlow, selected several two-pieces for her Trousseau wear. The particular two-piece chosen by Miss King for her wedding was of Hydrangia Blue Angora. The frock had a softly-draped bodice fitting midriff and a full skirt. The jacket and frock were both trimmed with deep violet, which was repeated in Miss King's Accessories. Two-piece by Richard Alan, 58 Grafton st.

A Navy Wool Two-Piece, richly trimmed with Shell Pink Lace, was chosen by Miss Jones, of Dublin, for her Wedding. The centre yoke of the frock was of lace, which was again repeated on the pockets of the jacket. Two-piece designed and made by Richard Alan, 58 Grafton street.

A Beautiful Collection of Dinner and Dance Frocks have arrived at Miss Doran's Salons, Dawson street; also Casual Coats in new materials, Fur-trimmed Costumes and Coats, Mink, Beaver, Summer Ermine, etc., etc.; Fur Coats, Boleros, Sable Ties, Millinery, etc., etc.

Tailormade Suit, buttoned high, in blue and claret check, with touches of blue velvet, for 8½ gns., at Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton street.

Stephens and Bourke have a charming range of Shoes for Evening Wear.

Furs of Quality by Expert Furriers. Remodelling, repairing, cleaning a speciality. Model Fur Co., 51 Grafton street.

Liddy's, 15 Wicklow street, Fabric Specialists, are now displaying the finest Range of Ladies' Coat and Dress Materials in Ireland.

Liddy's, now known as Dublin's Fabric Shop, make it a fixed policy of marking all materials in plain figures.

Liddy's are noted for the manner in which all Purses are catered for. There is a special Remnant and Bargain Basement, in which prices are marked at a very low level.

Liddy's are specialising this week in a huge range of Kemp Tweeds, Fleece Coatings, Angora Dress Materials, Plain Coatings, and All Wool Fleece Checks, 54" wide. All at one price, 7/11 per yard.

Liddy's advise buying now, before the supplies become exhausted, and suggest that you make Liddy's, 15 Wicklow street, your first port of call.

To Ladies.—Ladies' Department for Medical Appliances, Artificial Silk Elastic Stockings, or Lastex and Lastestar Stockings, stretching both ways.—Fannin and Co., Ltd., 41 Grafton street.

Now is the time for Renovating and Decorating. C. Jones and Sons, Ltd., 114 St. Stephen's Green. 'Phone 51359.

Fur Coats Fashionably Remodelled into Latest Styles. Moderate Charges. Fisher and West, Fur Stylists, 17 Duke street.

Sharpley's, Specialists, Baby Linen, Nursery Accouchement Sets. Price List—2 Nassau St., Dublin.

ON THE WIRELESS

IRISH PROGRAMME

6—Clar do Scolairi Scol: To-day's Historical Picture. 6.5—Ceol Coramhail — Proinnsias O Suilleabhain agus Cor o Scoil Treasa, Ascal Dun Oir. 6.20—"Ar dTir Fhein"—Sean O Ciosain. 6.40—Stock Exchange, Sports Results, Official Announcements. 6.45—News. 7—"In Reply to Yours." 7.30—"Our Health Through Food." A series of talks by Dr. E. M. Dixon. No. 11: "Food Requirements of Youth." 7.45—Irish Radio Orchestra. 8.30—"Pros and Cons"—Radio Debate, conducted by Michael Farrell. No. 8: "The Two Arms of the Law." 9—"The Music of Pergolesi," No. 2: Sonatas for String Trio and Pianoforte, played by the Radio Eireann Quartet. 9.20—Cathracha Cluiteacha Eireann. Uimh. 1: Baile Atha Cliath. Liam O Rinn. 9.35—Celebrity Concert: Willi Domgraf-Fassbänder (baritone) and Emmanuel Feuermann ('cello). 10—Nuacht. 10.10—News in English. 10.30—Grenadier Guards Band.

B.B.C. PROGRAMME

7—News. 7.15—Records. 7.30—Exercises. 7.50—Two Tunes. 7.55—Prayers. 8—News. 8.15—Kitchen Front. 8.20—Mixed Records. 9—Orchestra. 9.30—Uncle Sam. 9.45—Organ. 10.5—Schools. 10.15—Service. 10.30—Music While You Work. 11—Schools. 12—The Four Gospels. 12.30—Orchestra. 1—News. 1.30—Handel Arias. 1.50—Schools. 3—Music While You Work. 3.30—"Joining the Navy." 3.45—Classical Ballet Music. 4.30—Pioneers Dance Band. 5—News in Welsh. 5.20—Children's Hour. 6—News. 6.30—News in Norwegian. 6.45—"The History of Mr. Polly." 7.5—Fire Guards. 7.10—Orchestra. 7.35—"Making Plans." 8—"Kiss the Boys Good-bye." 9—News. 9.20—"The Gentle Aspect." 10.20—Fleet Street Choir. 10.45—News in Gaelic. 10.50—"More Hate Poems." 11—Band. 12—News.

FORCES PROGRAMME

6.30—Reveille. 7—News. 7.15—Records. 8—News. 8.15—Band. 8.45—Piano Music. 9—Orchestra. 9.30—"Starlight." 9.45—Organ. 10—"Repeat Refrain." 10.30—Music While You Work. 11—Anniversaries. 11.15—Piano. 11.30—Orchestra. 12—ENSA Concert. 12.30—Break for Music. 1—News. 1.15—Old-Time Dances. 1.45—"Souvenirs." 2.15—Scots Dance Music. 2.35—Organ. 3—Music While You Work. 3.30—Canadians Entertain. 4—Band. 4.30—Dance Band. 4.55—Hallé Orchestra. 5.15—"Ack-Ack, Beer-Beer." 6—News. 6.30—Forces Music Club. 7—Red Cross Radio Contest. 7.30—Orchestra. 8.15—"Women at War." 9—News. 9.20—Radio Rhythm Club. 9.45—Canadian News-Letter. 10—Organ. 10.30—Dance Cabaret. 11—Close down.

LONDON LETTER

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
SUNDAY NIGHT.

MR. CHURCHILL referred a short time ago to the prodigious advance in the status of women in this country, but nowhere in no country and in no other profession has that advance been so remarkable as in the British Civil Service. The Service has increased in numbers from 350,000 to 600,000 since the outbreak of war, and this has greatly accelerated the promotion for women. In the Home Civil Service they enjoy complete equality with men in everything but pay, and the right of marriage, and even the marriage bar, is not nearly so rigid as it used to be. The great landmarks in the women's advance have been the decision to throw open to them the administrative class, the highest of all—whose members are often said to be the real rulers of the country—and the adoption of the policy of aggregation of the sexes. This week the only three Government departments to which women had still been inadmissible to executive rank — the War Office, Admiralty and Air Ministry—announced that the women had won. It is only a matter of time before a woman executive officer will be appointed a permanent Under-Secretary of State on the £2,400 a year scale.

New Designs

Striking work has been accomplished in recent months by the designers in industry appointed by the Royal Society of Arts to advise on and create war-time industrial designs. One of the foremost workers in this field is Mr. Percy Metcalfe, the Yorkshireman, whose designs for the Irish coinage created a strong, but as yet unsatisfied, desire in England for a somewhat similar innovation in British coinage. Mr. Metcalfe designed the new coinage of the King George VI. reign, and also most of the recent Indian and Colonial coins. He created the beautiful Duchy and County Palatine of Lancaster seals, which are in silver and weigh over six lbs. each.

Airways

Mr. J. T. Trippe, President of Pan-American Airways, who in his Wilbur Wright memorial lecture to the Royal Aeronautical Society in June predicted frequent daily twelve-hour flights across the Atlantic before two years were out, is putting into operation a plan to ferry U.S. bombers and fighters *via* the Atlantic and Central Africa direct to the flying fields of the Middle East. In eight years Mr. Trippe has built Pan-American into the world's biggest air route system. It covers the Western hemisphere like a cobweb, and its clippers ferry the ocean to the old world with the regularity of a main railway line. An all-Irish air line operating from Foynes to the United States just now would make a fortune so great is the demand for passenger and cargo space. The income from cinematograph film companies alone would pay much of the operational expenses, apart from the great revenue from air mail.

Voteless at 23

Because the electoral register on which by-elections are still fought is that of 1939, and no new lists have been prepared since the war, no man or woman under 23 is able to vote in the ever-increasing number of by-elections. Nor can the interest of older voters be high, as only 42 *per cent.* went to the polls in the most recent contest. The millions of men and women in the Forces are also in an invidious position; their names are normally placed in the absent voters' list, but this was made up a fortnight before the outbreak of the war.

Women's Wages

If a man's income here is £6 10s. a week, and his wife decides to take a war-time job at £3 10s. a week, she will only have £2 8s. after paying income tax. She is allowed to earn £45 free of income tax, the remaining £135 is added to the joint income and is taxed at 10s. in the £, for the husband already pays 6s. 6d. in the £ on £160, and anything over the first £165 has to be paid for at the full rate of 10s. If the wife reckons fares at 12s. a week, the cost of the average season ticket from an outer London suburb, and lunch at 1s. 8d. a day, her net income for the six days' hard work will be 24s., apart from wear and tear on clothes. It is for this reason that many thousands of women do war work only two days a week near their homes instead of working a full week.

AN IRISHMAN'S DIARY

The Fiddler of Bray Head

This year has taken a heavy toll of those well-beloved characters and personalities so familiar to the eyes of Dubliners. Now, soon after the passing of The Lavender Man, comes news of the death, at the age of eighty, of The Blind Fiddler of Bray Head; or, as he was known to those who had a more intimate association with him than the average holiday-maker, Pat O'Grady.

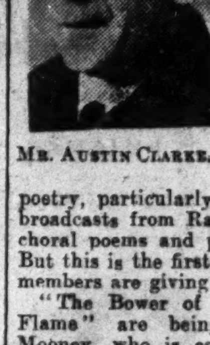
As a child, year in year out, I remember him sitting on his little wooden bench, decently dressed in navy and a wide-brimmed black hat, his fine strong face glossy with sun-tan, as he played away on his ancient red fiddle. Beside him he modestly kept a cigar-box tray into which passers-by, adult and children alike, each summer holiday would reverently throw a coin or two.

At the sound of its chink, the "dark man" would turn his finely-poised head and utter his appreciation with an impressive and natural dignity. It was, I think, this dignity about him, as well as the seemingly unbroken fidelity of his return every year to the same spot, on the slope just inside Bray Head gate, that endeared him to three generations of visitors, for whereas my own childhood bears warm memories of the strains of Pat O'Grady's fiddle, both my parents and grandparents speak of him as though he were a permanent part of their own youth as well.

Verse Speaking

The members of the Dublin Verse-Speaking Society are giving a performance this week from Wednesday, October 22nd, to Saturday, the 25th, at the Peacock Theatre. The four nights promise to make a little festival of poetry.

As well as giving two lyric plays—"The Bower of Wandel," by the Scottish poet, Gordon Bottomly, and "The Flame," by Austin Clarke, the Society is also giving a programme of American, Elizabethan and Irish poems.



MR. AUSTIN CLARKE.

The Dublin Verse Speaking Society was founded in 1938 by Austin Clarke and Roibeard O Farachain. Its objects are to foster the art of verse-speaking here again as in the early days of our literary revival, and to spread a knowledge of poetry, particularly of Irish poetry. Its broadcasts from Radio Eireann of lyrics, choral poems and plays are well known. But this is the first occasion on which the members are giving a stage performance.

"The Bower of Wandel" and "The Flame" are being produced by Ria Mooney, who is especially interested in verse drama, and she is being assisted by Evelyn MacNeice. Both plays will be seen for the first time in this country.

St. Brigid's Flame

"The Bower of Wandel," which is a favourite play of Sybil Thorndike's, is experimental in form. It deals with a romantic episode in the life of James V., the father of Mary Queen of Scots.

Austin Clarke's play was first produced in Edinburgh, and has been played by various verse-speaking societies in England. It had the honour of being chosen some years ago for special performance at the Oxford Festival of Poetry. It deals with the flame of St. Brigid, which, according to legend, was tended for centuries at Kildare.

Among the actors and speakers are Eve Watkinson, Patricia Clancy, Florence Lynch, Margery Williams, Maureen Kiely, Cecil Jeffares, Robert Mooney.

Dr. Gordon Bottomly, by the way, is an old friend of the Irish literary revival. The heroine of his first play was Irish. He won fame with his play, "King Lear's Wife," which deals with that ill-fated king in the days of his prime.

Dr. Bottomly visited Ireland three years ago and was entertained on that occasion by the Committee of the P.E.N. Club.

An Irish Waxworks?

Rooting through a pile of old papers in a further effort to help the "Save Paper" campaign, I came across an "Official Guide and Catalogue" for Madam Tussaud's Exhibition, and I asked myself why not an Irish waxworks?

I expect the question has been asked before, and, I suppose, the answer is that it would not be an "economic proposition." And, since there is more fun than dignity attached to waxworks, it is hardly likely that any public body would subsidise one. Still, it would be nice to have one.

There are enough political, military and literary figures to make a very full and colourful house. And Irish history, political and criminal, would not leave anybody who cared to venture forth on the enterprise short of material for a thoroughly terrible Chamber of Horrors.

Radiophotos

An aeroplane travelling at 21,300 miles an hour would be able to fly from Moscow to New York in the time which it takes for a photograph to be sent by the new "radiophoto" process from the Russian capital to America.

The Radio Corporation of America—the people who worked out one of the most widely-used sound systems for films—have developed the new "radiophoto" transmission service, which enables a picture to be transmitted from Moscow to New York (a distance of 4,615 miles) in thirteen minutes. The radio impulses from a pin-point of light travelling across a picture wrapped around a cylinder in Moscow are received at a station on Long Island and relayed to another machine carrying sensitized photographic paper in the heart of New York.

There the impulses become light beams again, and in a few minutes the negative is ready for the operators to print off as many copies as are needed to supply the demands of American newspapers for the up-to-the-minute pictures from the eastern front.

London, Berlin, Tokyo and Buenos Aires are linked with New York in the radiophoto network. I wonder when Dublin will be brought into the field?

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OLIVER SHEPPARD'S WISH

EXHIBITION OF "NIAMH AGUS OISIN"

Expressive of his lifelong interest in the Gaelic revival, one of Ireland's greatest sculptors shortly before his death expressed the wish that his latest work should be exhibited at the Oireachtas Art Exhibition. The sculptor was the late Oliver Sheppard, R.H.A. The work was his "Niamh agus Oisin," a masterpiece giving expression to the immortal legend of Oisin and Niamh of the Golden Hair. Visitors to the Mansion House next Saturday and during the week will have an opportunity of seeing this work at the Art Exhibition in conjunction with the Oireachtas. The exhibition will be representative of the best in Ireland's art, and is the first to be held since the 1912 Oireachtas, where was first exhibited Oliver Sheppard's famous "Death of Cuchulainn," known since to thousands of Irishmen and women who have viewed it in the General Post Office, Dublin, where it stands to-day as a 1916 memorial. Among the noted artists and sculptors to be represented are: Sean Keating, Sean O'Sullivan, Charles Lamb, R. B. Ganley, Dermod O'Brien, Maurice McGonigal, Albert Power, and Seamus O Murchadha.

NEW HALL FOR ST. JAMES'S BAND

Opening a new hall for the St. James's Band at Mount Brown, Dublin, last Saturday night, the Lord Mayor (Alderman P. S. Doyle, T.D.) said that he was delighted that the oldest band in Dublin should have that beautiful new hall, where they would be able to carry on their fine tradition in up-to-date, spacious surroundings.

The longest memory he had associated with his childhood was of the black and green uniform of the St. James's Band. Their services to the national cause, their propagation of national music, and their place in Dublin life were something exceptional, and they fully deserved public support.

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Morning	11.41	—
Evening	—	0.19

IRISH DISTRESSED LADIES' FUND

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Irish Distressed Ladies' Fund was held at 6 Merrion square, Dublin, on Friday last, the Earl of Wicklow presiding. There were also present:—Miss Kenny, Major Guillamore O'Grady, Mr. Cyril H. Dickinson, and Mr. W. F. Coombes (secretary).

The pension list for November was submitted, and cheques amounting to £73 2s. (including grants for fuel) were ordered to be issued.

Apologies for non-attendance were received from Lady Moore, Lady De Freyne, Lady Talbot de Malahide, Mr. Denis R. Pack-Beresford, D.L.; Mrs. W. Ryan, and Lady Eva Forbes.

Applications for assistance were dealt with, and grants were made from the funds administered by the Irish Distressed Ladies' Fund. The total sum authorised out of these funds to assist necessitous cases during the remainder of October and on 1st November was £185 11s. 2d.

The committee noted with pleasure that Lady Eva Forbes had accepted an invitation to become a member of the Executive.

IRISH WILLS

Mr. Michael Byrne, of Kilmacanogue House, Bray, Co. Wicklow, who died on 6th April last, left personal estate in England and Eire valued at £4,701.

Mrs. Catherine (or Kate) Plunkett, of 1 Florence terrace, Appian Way, Dublin, who died on 25th May last, widow of John Plunkett, left personal estate in England and Eire valued at £4,302.

The Right Rev. Dr. Hugh MacSherry, D.D., of Port Elizabeth, Cape Province, South Africa, and late of Milford House, Limerick, Bishop of Justinianopolis, and Vicar Apostolic of the Eastern District of the Cape of Good Hope, who died in Dublin on 19th April, 1940, aged 88 years, a native of Loughgilly, Co. Armagh, left estate in England valued at £270.

THE SUN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Rises	8. 0	8. 2
Sets	6.20	6.17
Lighting-up Time	6.50	6.47

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DANCES

GRESHAM HOTEL

The weekly supper dance held on Saturday night last at the Gresham Hotel, Dublin, was enjoyed by a very large attendance.

Billy Dingle and his band provided the music, and dancing continued until midnight.

Among those present were:—Sir John Keane, Miss Tyndall, Mr. A. T. Boyle, Mr. K. W. G. McConnell, Mr. Stephen Kelly, Miss Brenda Graham, Mr. M. Kavanagh, Dr. Henry Balch, Mr. R. L. Watson, Mr. P. Maloney, Miss Judy Post, Miss Teresa Quinlan, Mr. L. Chance, Captain Meade, Dr. O'Doherty, Mr. B. G. O'Sullivan, Captain Colthurst, Mr. H. D. Sterling, Lieut. Kenny, Mr. P. Glynn, Captain Blythe, Mr. C. V. O'Donnel, Mr. D. Earley, Mr. James Byrne, Mr. J. J. Keenan, Mrs. Louis Le Broquey, Miss L. Willis, Mr. R. P. O'Neill, Mr. B. Mulcahy, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Graves, Mr. Nesbitt and Mr. and Mrs. Henderson.

THE METROPOLE

The second dance of the season, which was held on Saturday night last at the Metropole Ballroom, Dublin, was a most successful function, and was attended by a large number of dancers. A programme of the latest dance music was provided by Phil Murtagh and his band.

Evening Wear.—White Waistcoats from 10/6 to 27/6. Shirts, Ties and Collars, at Kennedy and McSharry's. —(Advt.)

Father Sees Son Killed.—At an inquest in Tramore on Saturday, a verdict of accidental death was returned on the body of John Kiely (19), the Cove, who was killed by a falling wall. Kiely, with his father and brother, was digging a trench beside a wall on the road leading to Tramore Pier. The father noticed the wall giving way, and shouted a warning to stand clear, but the young man was caught by the falling masonry and killed.

THANKSGIVING FOR HARVEST

ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH, RATHMINES

The Dean of Belfast (the Very Rev. W. S. Kerr, B.D.) preached yesterday at the Harvest Festival Services in St. Philip's Parish Church, Temple road, Rathmines.

In Belfast, the Dean said, it was touching to observe how people who had been bombed out of their homes were now contributing generously to rebuild their ruined churches. In one working-class parish, where the church and several streets had been completely destroyed, the people were making weekly contributions of between £6 and £7, and had already started a fund for the rebuilding of the church, thus giving a practical example of the Sacred Trinity of Home, Work and Religion.

The congregation was a very large one, and the special music included Sir John Goss's anthem "The Wilderness." The soloists were Mr. Deans (tenor) and Mr. Maddison (bass).

GRANGEGORMAN MENTAL HOSPITAL

The Archbishop of Dublin (the Most Rev. Dr. Barton) gave an address at the Harvest Thanksgiving Service yesterday in the Church of Ireland chapel of the Grangegorman Mental Hospital.

Received at 3.45 by the Lord Mayor (Alderman P. S. Doyle, T.D.), the Chairman, members of the Committee, and the staff, the Archbishop went to the chapel. Taking as his text, "Whatsoever things are lovely," he spoke of the duty of thanking God for food, for the beauties of nature, and for filling our lives with things that are beautiful.

The most beautiful thing, he said, was the beauty of the life of Christ. Through thinking of Him, and through prayer, we could fill our minds with grace.

The Archbishop met the Lord Mayor and members of the Joint Committee at afternoon tea in the recreation hall of the Nurses' Home after the Service at 5.15.

OBITUARY

MR. JOHN MUNNELLY, T.D.

The death is announced of Mr. John Munnelly, Ballina, County Mayo, who had represented North Mayo in the Dail in the Fianna Fail interest since 1937. Born at Carranmore, Barnatra, Ballina, in 1874, he took an active interest in local administration for many years. He was a member of the Ballina Rural District Council from 1898, and Chairman of the District Council until its dissolution. Also he had been a member of the Mayo County Council since 1920. A former President of the Belmullet Branch of the Sinn Fein organisation, he was in recent years Chairman of the Comhairle Ceanntair of Fianna Fail.

DUBLIN SAILORS' REST RELIGIOUS SERVICE

The Dublin Sailors' Rest, 63 North Wall, held its annual Harvest Thanksgiving Service yesterday, when the Rev. Thomas Byers, M.A., gave an address, and vocal items were rendered by the Harcourt Street Baptist Church Choir. Mr. F. C. Combe was in the chair. The hall was tastefully decorated, and there were many donations of fruit, flowers and vegetables, etc. Seamen of different nationalities were in attendance.

CESAREWITCH SWEEP DRAW

The draw for the sweep on the Irish Cesarewitch will take place on Thursday next at the Sweepstakes Hall, Ballsbridge. Doors will be open at 9.45 and the proceedings will begin at 10.30 a.m. The mixing of the counterfoils will take place on Wednesday at 10.30 a.m.

Tickets for admission to the draw can be had free on application to the Publicity Department, Hospitals Trust, Ballsbridge. The Irish Cesarewitch will be run at the Curragh on Saturday next and thirty-six horses will be included in the draw.

ADVICE FOR BUSINESS PEOPLE

Northern Ireland business people who find themselves in financial difficulties because of the war will after January 1, 1942, be able to obtain the advice of liabilities adjustment officers in making arrangements with creditors.

The appointment of such officers will be made by the Lord Chief Justice, who is given the necessary powers under the Liabilities Wartime Adjustment Bill, the text of which was issued on Saturday.

MEDICINE, PAST AND PRESENT

SOME OUTSTANDING EPOCHS

DR. J. LEWIS, President-elect, spoke on "Some Milestones in Medical Progress," in his inaugural address to the Biological Society of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons in Ireland, in the College of Surgeons' Examination Hall last Saturday night.

By common consent, Hippocrates, said the lecturer, was the Father of Medicine. Two thousand three hundred and one years ago this amazing and far-seeing man realised that healing was an art—a science—and his classical contributions were written at a time when man was impregnated with superstition and phantasy. It was Hippocrates who founded the bed-side method of clinical examination, which lapsed for two thousand years, only to be revived by Bright and the Dublin clinicians of the 1850's. The seventeenth century witnessed the most profound and effective stimulus when Harvey demonstrated the circular movement of blood and the central driving force of the heart.

With the advent of John Hunter and John Morgagni of Padua came the foundations of pathological anatomy. Perhaps the greatest contribution of that time came from Hunter's pupil and friend, Edward Jenner, who introduced vaccination as a cure for small-pox.

CHARLATANS

The lecturer said that even in Jenner's time the science of medicine was not far advanced. The alleviation of pain and suffering was only in its infancy, and it was not surprising to find quackery a flourishing universal racket. In England charlatans of both sexes practised their machinations with extraordinary success. William Read, an eye specialist, was knighted by Queen Anne, whose sight was bad, and this imposter was said to have hired someone to write a book on diseases under his name and to have hired a poet to sing his virtues in verse. In 1739 Joanna Stevens actually succeeded in having her remedy for stone purchased by Act of Parliament for £5,000, *pro bono publico*. It consisted of an inert conglomeration of snails, egg shells, soap, seeds, hips and haws.

The lecturer then dealt with the discovery and introduction of anæsthesia, mentioning the parts played by Joseph Priestley, Dr. Hickman, the American Horace Wells. Perhaps greatest of all contributions was the discovery of ether (originally discovered by Paracelsus) by the American Morton, a dentist. Even this was not without its opponents. Hot on the discovery of ether came the discovery that earned the thanks of all mothers—the relief from pains of childbirth. The discoverer was a young Scot, James Young Simpson. The importance of anæsthesia was soon supplemented by the revolutionary works of Pasteur and Koch and Lister.

Much, however, remained to be achieved. The future practitioner of medicine must devote research to the prevention, and to the more intimate knowledge of the physiology of early disease. Victory would be the conquest of disease for the benefit of all mankind.

On the motion of Senator Dr. R. J. Rowlette, President of the Royal College of Physicians, seconded by Professor E. J. R. Evatt, D.S.O., Professor of Anatomy, R.C.S.I., a vote of thanks was passed to the Lecturer.

On the motion of Dr. T. G. Wilson, seconded by Dr. M. J. Daly, it was agreed that the Society was worthy of support.

Dr. J. D. H. Widdess, outgoing President, was in the chair, and presented the medals for the year as follows:—Society's silver medal for best paper of the session:—Mr. J. P. Carri; medal for proficiency in discussion, Mr. M. E. Arnold, and President's silver medal for best exhibit or case, Mrs. A. Davies.

IRISH NEWS IN BRIEF

University Degrees.—Miss Hilda Gibson, daughter of Mrs. C. Gibson, Poplar square, Naas, has obtained the B.Sc. degree and H.Dip. at the National University.

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Man Killed.—Mr. Robert White (senior), 70 Scrabo road, Newtownards, lost his life in an accident at Conway square. He was cycling to work when he came into collision with a 'bus.

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Post in Ministry.—The General Secretary of the Belfast Central Presbyterian Association, Mr. W. T. Ewing, has resigned on receiving an appointment with the Northern Ministry of Home Affairs.

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Sent for Trial.—At Ennis, Elizabeth Byrne, of New Hall, was returned for trial on a charge of taking forcible possession of a cottage, the property of the Clare Board of Health. Bail was allowed.

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The Value of Waste.—"It is certainly a weakness that in a big city like Cork there is no method for using up refuse to aid plant life," commented Mr. E. Wall at the Munster Agricultural Society on Saturday after he had read a paper on the value of liming land.

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Northern Bread Prices.—The Bread Prices Order, 1941, comes into force to-day in Northern Ireland. The price of a 4lb. loaf will be 9d., a 2lb. loaf 4½d., a 1lb. 12 ounce loaf 4d., and a 1lb. loaf 2½d. City of Belfast prices will be 8½d., 4¼d., 3¾d., and 2½d. One egg per week for each person will continue to be the ration.

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Limerick Gaelic League.—At the annual Convention of Limerick County Committee, Gaelic League, yesterday, the Rev. C. O'Sullivan, P.P., Cratloe, was unanimously re-elected president; Mr. Miceal Bourke, N.T., and Garda Hayes (Croom), vice-presidents; Messrs. R. Jackson (Foynes) and S. Tighe (Patrickswell) were elected on the Standing Committee.

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Paper Workers Return.—Employes of the the North of Ireland Paper Mills, Ballyclare, Co. Antrim, will return to work to-day. A conference with the directors of the firm will take place on Wednesday, when the dispute will be discussed.

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Cork Postal Service.—The depleted mails service and the consequent delay in the city despatch and delivery of mails is considered very detrimental to business by Cork Incorporated Chamber of Commerce and Shipping. While recognising the unavoidable causes of the present conditions, the Council considered several suggestions for effecting some improvement, such as the despatch of mails by road, by goods trains, alteration of the present schedules, etc. It was decided to discuss the question with the Postal Authorities.

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St. John Ambulance Brigade.—Tribute to the efficiency of Cork City Divisions of St. John Ambulance Brigade was paid on Saturday night by Assistant Commissioner A. J. MacWilliam, Dublin, who carried out the annual inspection at the City Hall. Over three hundred members of the brigade and nursing division paraded. The Lord Mayor (Mr. J. Horgan) and Mr. J. Hickey, T.D., Chairman of the Red Cross Society in Cork, complimented the brigade.

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Malicious Injury Awards.—At Tralee Circuit Court on Saturday the following awards for malicious injuries were made:—J. Doyle, County Surveyor, £120 for the burning of a hut and implements in Turlough Bog during a strike; Patrick Sweeney, Fiuhy, £35 for the burning of hay; Mrs. O'Connor, Ashe street, Tralee, £9 for damage to window; Patrick Connor, Scart, Gortalea, £6, for hay burned; Jerh. Walsh, Lisodigur, £16, for damage to mangolds; Charles Jones, Tralee, £35, for the burning of a hall at Clash; John Kerins and others, Tralee, £3, damage to piston lights.

DEFENCE OF THE RUSSIAN CITIES

By Our Military Correspondent.

THE latest special announcement from German G.H.Q. states that "the double battle of Briansk and Viazma has been successfully concluded." Moscow itself was not mentioned. There was, however, a sort of Order of Battle of the Timoshenko Army Group—8 armies, comprising 67 divisions; 7 tank divisions, 6 cavalry divisions, 6 tank brigades. It now seems likely that the successful counter-attack of this group—around Yelnia and to northward—led to its subsequent undoing. Great masses had advanced into a sort of bulge against the German front, and had thereby made easier the German attacks which were pushed round their flanks towards Kalinin and Kaluga. The Germans claim 650,000 prisoners, 1,200 tanks and over 5,200 guns in round numbers. Apparently they put in practically everything they had—3 armies (Kluge, Weichs and Strauss), and no fewer than four tank armies (Guderian, Hoth, Hoeppner and Rheinhardt).

PARIS IN 1870

It looks now as if we may expect, in the case of Moscow, the same sequence of events as at Leningrad, Kiev, Odessa and Kharkov—a stubborn defensive organised in the environs and the city itself. Provided the decision is taken really to defend a great city, such a centre has an enormous potential of passive resistance, capable of influencing a whole campaign for a considerable period. The most notable example of this was Paris in 1870, which held out and pinned down the German armies for four and a half months. A more recent example was Madrid, and later still Warsaw. The Russians have benefited fully by the study of such precedents. They are selecting the places for *à outrance* defence very judiciously—confining the choice to those of major importance, either strategical or economic, and making a very thorough job in the case of each city selected to be defended. The rest are simply demolished and left there.

Had the defence of Leningrad stood by itself, apart from the general course of the fighting, it could certainly be regarded as a Russian victory. There can be no doubt as to the intention of the Leeb Army Group to capture the former capital. In successive phases, every method was tried—direct attack, encircling manœuvre, bombardment and siege operations. Up to the present none has met with any decided success. Locally, the Germans here have experienced a costly rebuff, but their successes on other sectors have resulted in this being lost sight of for the moment.

LENINGRAD

It now remains to be seen whether the German advance on Moscow from the side of Kalinin will uncover Leningrad on the south. One of the principal factors in the defence of the place has been the presence in the region of the Valdai Hills of the left wing army of the Voroshiloff group—a field army giving flanking cover to Leningrad, and which the Germans have completely failed to drive away. This army may now find itself outflanked along the upper Volga. On the other hand, if it can retain its position and build up an attacking force it will, instead, threaten the northern flank of Bock's eastward advance. It still, probably, has full use of the railway line, Yaroslav-Rybinsk-Sankovo-Bologoe for reinforcement and supply. This is a line, moreover, which is comparatively free from other demands on its capacity.

Moscow, of course, is the principal communication centre of all Russia—more so than, even, Leningrad, and far more so than any other place. Consequently, it is of the very first importance for the Russians to hold on to it as long as possible. Even should the roads and lines of railway become unserviceable for their own use, they will at all events be denied to the Germans. In a country where communications in general are defective this is a very important consideration. Even more important, in view of the impending winter campaign is the question of shelter. Even in the most shelled and bombed city—provided it is big enough—there will always be some cover from wind, rain and snow. It is an old military saying that "the worst billet is better than the best bivouac." And if the billet has to be eventually given up it can always be destroyed in preference to letting the enemy use it.

LOSS OF ODESSA

The loss of Odessa, after a siege of nine weeks, is undoubtedly a very severe blow to Russia, from the standpoint of Black Sea defence. While it held out it served as a very valuable outpost. It prevented the Axis Powers from getting to close quarters with the defensive system of the Crimea—in so far as the naval aspect is concerned, that is to say. No doubt, everything possible was done by the Russians in order to render the place useless to the victors — ships withdrawn or sunk, cranes destroyed, stores burnt, etc. Such measures only delay the full and adequate use of a harbour for a limited time; they cannot do so for any considerable period. We may expect, in the near future, to find the German naval forces at Varna and Burgas advancing to Odessa and making the newly-acquired Russian harbour their base for further operations. Further to the East, with the occupation of Mariopol and the point towards Taganrog, the Germans have practically obtained control of the northern coastline of the Sea of Azov up to near the mouth of the Don. Beyond that the Gulf of Taganrog and the lower reaches of the Don provide the Russians with a useful position on which to re-organise.

NEW CAPITAL?

Kazan, which appears destined as the new temporary capital of Russia, is a suitable choice. It lies on the eastern bank of the Volga, something more than 400 miles due east from Moscow, and where the great river is joined by a tributary called the Kazanka. About forty miles south of the city the Volga receives its most important tributary—the Kama, a river well over a thousand miles long, which drains much of the commerce of an extensive region of the Urals. The Volga itself is, of course, the most important inland waterway in the world, with the two exceptions of the Mississippi and the Yangtse. Kazan is well placed on the western border of the Ural industrial region, a region which must inevitably acquire a very greatly increased economic importance for purposes of the war, in view of the recent trend of the Russian military situation. The same is true of the entire basin of the Volga, with all its great cities — Yaroslave, Gorky (Nizhni-Novgorod), Kazan, Ulianovsk (Simbirsk), Kubishiev (Samara), Saratov, Stalingrad (Tsaritsyn), Astrakhan. The Ural region, east of this front, had been at the commencement of large-scale exploitation. No doubt, an effort at speed-up must have been made, in proportion as more developed centres were threatened.

FUNERALS

MR. HENRY V. SHAW

There was a large attendance at the funeral of Mr. Henry V. Shaw, "Glanmore," Rathdown road, Dublin, director of Messrs. John P. Cuffe, Ltd., cattle salesmen, which took place last Saturday to Mount Jerome Cemetery.

Service was conducted by the Rev. Arthur P. Armstrong, B.A., who also officiated at the graveside.

The chief mourners were:—Mrs. A. Shaw (widow), Mr. Walter P. Shaw (son), Miss Ethel Shaw and Miss Aileen Shaw (daughters), Mrs. E. T. Wilkinson, Mr. William Shaw, Mr. A. B. Wilkinson and Dr. R. Shaw.

The attendance included also:—Messrs. John P. Cuffe, Charles Fagan, T.D.; James Fagan, James C. Fagan, John McWade, Dr. W. J. Cuffe, Messrs. J. D. Scully, Arthur Craigie, John Taylor, M. H. Grey, Brian McCabe, P. Molloy, John Flynn, Harold Spiro, James Griffin, Arthur Derham, J. Thompson, Charles Armstrong, J. Armstrong, W. T. Callaghan, J. J. Keane, J. J. McKenna and J. P. McKenna.

MR. JAMES ARBUCKLE

The funeral of Mr. James Arbuckle, 34 Bushy Park road, Rathgar, Dublin, took place on Saturday to Mount Jerome Cemetery. The Ven. E. G. Sullivan, Archdeacon of Dublin, officiated.

The chief mourners were:—Mr. Gordon Arbuckle (son) and Mr. H. F. Inglis (brother-in-law).

There were also present:—Messrs. H. Mooney, G. F. Joyce, C. H. Molloy, L. J. Jameson, G. C. Webb, W. L. Fleming, T. C. Macdougald, M. Wright, G. Wilson, A. A. Thompson, G. H. Shaw, A. E. Jackson, F. Bestall, H. P. Macdougald, C. N. N. Fennell, J. R. Campbell, A. Field, J. Ingram, E. Bain, the Rev. R. Montgomery, Messrs. R. L. Morrison, J. W. Davidson, D. F. Brehan, J. J. Sargison, E. W. Walsh, Dr. J. Ashe, Messrs. R. F. Baldwin, N. Christian, F. Smith, F. S. Creed, R. Fox, J. Cox, G. Heather, J. O. Early, W. Grieve, R. W. Jameson, F. S. Larminie, J. Beggs, C. H. Murphy, J. Featherstone, G. C. Kirkland, J. McB. Stephens, R. E. Macdougald, J. C. Wilkinson, E. W. Jeffares, R. E. Knaggs, C. Johnston, W. E. Couldstones, G. H. Bland, G. H. Aylward, G. H. Noblett, H. S. Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Elsy, the Misses Blake, Sutton, Kerr and Bastow.

The funeral arrangements were by Messrs. Miller and Co., Bray.

MR. A. E. FISHER

The funeral of the late Mr. A. E. Fisher, Anglesea road, Dublin, took place on Saturday to Dean's Grange Cemetery. Officiating at the graveside was the Rev. A. S. Bluett, M.A., Kill.

The chief mourners were:—Mrs. C. W. Griffin (daughter), Mr. A. J. Fisher and Mr. D. W. Fisher (sons), and the Rev. Canon Griffin (son-in-law).

The attendance included also:—Messrs. C. W. Searight, R. V. Harvey, W. Hampton, B. Halliday, F. Cosgrove, J. D. Cope, C. Spinks, C. Stronach, D. J. Smyth, J. J. O'Toole, W. G. Crofton, C. Smith, A. Gibson, G. Gibson, J. Allen and J. W. Carley.

The funeral arrangements were carried out by Messrs. Miller and Co., Bray.

MISSION SUNDAY

APOSTOLIC NUNCIO PRESIDES AT MASS

The Apostolic Nuncio, the Most Rev. Dr. Paschal Robinson, O.F.M., presided at Solemn High Mass, celebrated in the Pro-Cathedral, Dublin, yesterday on the occasion of Mission Sunday.

The Nuncio, accompanied by the Right Rev. Monsignor Enrichi, was received at the Cathedral by the Very Rev. M. F. Boylan, Adm.

The Mass was attended by Diocesan Directors of the Propagation of the Faith and by representatives of all the missionary institutes of priests in Ireland.

In a mission appeal from the Most Rev. Archbishop Celso Constantini, Secretary of the Sacred Congregation of the Propaganda, Rome, it was stated that the total sum contributed by the various nations of the world for the Pontifical Society for the Propagation of the Faith exceeded last year the average of recent years by an amount equivalent to several million Italian lire.

Archbishop Constantini added that the Holy Father was deeply gratified with the increase in offerings, and blessed from his heart the devoted children who had helped.

PARACHUTE BATTALION

Three healthy out-door boys, Robert Preston, Buddy Ebsen and Edmond O'Brien, all decide to help Uncle Sam to defend the country. They all choose the Parachute Battalion, and they all choose the same girl (Nancy Kelly). It is only when they are actually in the air, clutching the rip-cord of their parachutes, that their true colours begin to exhibit themselves.

However, everybody saves somebody else just to show you that they are all coloured pure white underneath, and then Nancy Kelly settles the question of who gets the girl for them.

This, as you probably have guessed, is another of those propaganda films designed to make every American lad rush for the nearest recruiting office, and I must confess that if I were an all-American lad I should do the same, post-haste.

On the stage—"Applesauce, No. 2."

The three Dutch Fascists who escaped from an Isle of Man internment camp in a yacht were arrested by a police constable when they scrambled exhausted on to the Cumberland coast after three nights at sea.

OPENING OF ACADEMIC YEAR

HIGH MASS AT UNIVERSITY CHURCH

Solemn High Mass for the opening of the Academic Year was sung in the University Church, St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, yesterday, when the Most Rev. Dr. MacQuaid, Archbishop of Dublin, presided. The celebrant was the Rev. F. O'Higgins, Dean of Residence; the deacon, the Rev. E. Mansfield, chaplain, Mater Misericordiæ Hospital; the sub-deacon, the Rev. J. Carroll, chaplain, Portland Row; the master of ceremonies, the Rev. J. Strahan, and the master of ceremonies to Dr. MacQuaid, the Rev. T. B. Condon, Pro-Cathedral.

Students of Clonliffe College sang the music; the choir was conducted by the Rev. R. McNevin; Dr. Vincent O'Brien was at the organ, and students of University College, Dublin, served the Mass.

There was a large attendance of Professors in their Academic robes, and of graduates and undergraduates, who walked in procession from the University Building to the church.

Among those present were—The Lord Mayor of Dublin (Alderman P. S. Doyle, T.D.), Dr. A. W. Conway, President, University College, Dublin; Dr. Denis J. Coffey, Professors B. F. Shields, the Rev. T. Corcoran, S.J.; Mary Macken, J. P. Drew, T. J. Nolan, H. L. Barniville, the Rev. Father Egan, S.J.; J. F. Larchet, Eoin McNeill, William Magennis, Mary Hayden, J. N. Meenan, P. Semple, M. J. Ryan, Agnes O'Farrelly, Dwyer Joyce, D. A. Binchy, R. Dwyer, T. T. O'Farrell, E. J. Sheehy, M. J. Gorman, T. W. Dillon, J. J. Hogan, M. Caffrey, J. Bayley Butler, J. D. McGrath, George O'Brien, F. E. Hackett, J. J. Potter, W. D. O'Kelly, R. Chauviré.

The Very Rev. Canon McGough, the Right Rev. Monsignor Boylan, the Rev. A. Gwynn, S.J.; the Rev. S. Brown, S.J.; Mrs. MacEntee, Mrs. S. T. O'Kelly, the Very Rev. J. J. English, C.S.Sp., and Senator M. Hayes.

CORK BAKERY CRISIS

STOPPAGE OF WORK THREATENED

Because bakers in Cork cannot get their breakfast before seven o'clock in the morning owing to gas rationing, it is feared that the city will be virtually without bread to-day.

Eighty per cent. of the city's bread output is affected in a dispute between the bakers and the Master Bakers' Association concerning the time of the morning start of work. The men have declared that they cannot be at work at 7 a.m., as it is impossible to get breakfast until the gas is available at that hour. The employers hold steadfastly to an agreement, under which the hour is fixed, and they announced last night that, if the workers did not turn in at 7 o'clock this morning, their premises would be closed.

Conferences which went on until midnight last night failed to reach an understanding. Representatives of the men stated at the close of the conferences last night that they would not report for duty until 8 am. to-day.

A few of the smaller firms producing bread have conceded the demand of the men.

DUBLIN DOCKS DISPUTE

A strike among dockers unloading the Welsh coal boat Pontypridd, which arrived in Dublin recently with a cargo of 4,000 tons of coal, occurred on Friday afternoon. It is understood that the men struck for more money on account of the extremely large cargo. The Pontypridd was due to leave on Saturday.

The strike, an *Irish Times* reporter was informed, was entirely unofficial, and the men involved, part of the gang engaged on the discharge, struck for an increase in the rate of from 2s. 7d. to 4s. per ton.

Conversations took place in the Department of Industry and Commerce on Saturday, and it is believed that the discharge will be resumed on the regular tonnage rate to-day.

PEOPLE'S FOOD AND FUEL

SUGGESTIONS AT DUBLIN MEETING

SUGGESTIONS for dealing with the problems of fuel and food for the people, unemployment, and housing and rents were advanced at a city conference held in the Mansion House, Dublin, on Saturday afternoon under the auspices of the Council of Action of the Dublin Trades Union Council. Representatives were present from eighty-six organisations or bodies.

The Chairman (Mr. A. Jackson) said that there was among people of even most diverse views general recognition of the fact that existing conditions in the city were such as to call for the most widespread effort in order that the masses of people—especially the poor—would be catered for. Relentless economic factors were daily forcing thousands below the poverty line. Failure to accept responsibility by those responsible must be noted. There must be fuel and food for the people as well as employment and no unemployment.

TURF AND TIMBER

Mr. Roddy Connolly, Financial Secretary to the Labour Party, proposed a motion that as many motor lorries as necessary—estimated at 500, including those already at work—be made available and organised for the immediate transport of turf and timber from the areas where a surplus exists over local needs; that this supply should be distributed to local municipal dépôts and around the city, from where it could be conveniently drawn; that a system of vouchers be instituted for issue to those in receipt of sustenance from public funds; and that the present control prices of fuel should be stabilised at the present level so long as wage increases were prohibited under Emergency Order No. 83.

He said that the Government's best efforts would only alleviate one-fifth of the distress in the city.

Mr. P. J. Farrell (Pearse Street Branch Council of Action) seconded.

Mr. Seumas O'Farrell, National Organiser, Labour Party, said that the conference had no political significance. They were not dictating to the Government or to civil servants, who never did anything but followed precedents. It was their duty from that conference now to look after the citizens.

Mr. R. N. Tweedy said that there would be 200,000 people in this city in danger of death this winter.

The resolution was carried.

FOOD PROBLEM

Miss Louie Bennett (Women Workers) moved that, to meet the present food difficulties and their possible intensification, the Government and Corporation of Dublin should give attention to introducing a complete system of rationing all essential foodstuffs, with effective price control; the opening of communal kitchens without further delay, the extension of meals to school children to embrace all primary schools, and the extension of the present free milk scheme to all children up to eight years of age

She said that the present system of rationing was deplorable. Rich and well-off people had been able to lay in stocks, leaving only a residue for the poor people to buy it if they could.

Mr. Gilbert Lynch, seconding, said that there could be no effective system of rationing without a national register.

The resolution was adopted.

Resolutions were also passed urging the provision of working-class dwellings as a means of giving employment, and that measures be taken at once by national and local authorities to ease the unemployment problem by public works and the setting up of a special industrial research council to find where possible alternatives to raw materials are available

DUBLIN COUNCIL OF ACTION

REFERENCES TO TRADE UNION ACT

The "grave consequences" which would result should the Government obtain the co-operation of the trade union movement in working the Trade Union Act were referred to at a public meeting organised by the Dublin Council of Action held at College Green, Dublin, yesterday.

A resolution passed at the meeting called on the special conference of representatives of the Trade Union Executives to give most serious consideration to these consequences, and they were urged to take all possible steps to safeguard the workers' industrial organisations from "the shackles of Government bureaucracy and control."

Mr. L. Crawford, Dublin Operative Plasterers' Society, said that the Act was the greatest attack ever made on the workers of this country. If the people had been disillusioned they knew where to place the responsibility. What the Council of Action were doing was clear and above-board. They did not seek to divide the workers into national or international units, but to rally them in one body.

Mr. K. Carroll, who seconded, said that thousands of workers had gone from this city and they had gone from necessity. England at her worst had never attacked the trade union movement. We have now, he said, a national Government, but it was not due to Fianna Fail or to Fine Gael, but to the workers. Ninety-five per cent. of the men who fought for freedom had been of the working class.

Captain Peadar Cowan said that the people should tell the Government that the Trade Union Act must go. Order 83 must go or the Fianna Fail Government would go.

Mr. Archie Jackson presided, and other speakers were:—Mr. David Hanly, I.N.T.O.; Mr. Roddy Connolly, Bray, and Mr. Gilbert Lynch, A.T.G.W.U.

WEDDINGS

MR. E. H. S. JOHNSTON AND MISS F. I. S. MORELAND

At St. Nicholas's Church, Cork, on Saturday last, the wedding took place of Mr. Edward H. S. Johnston, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Johnston, Dublin, and Miss Freda I. S. Moreland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Moreland, Castlegreine Park, Cork.

The bride was given away by her father, and attended by Miss Phyllis Daly. Mr. F. D. Thomson was best man.

The Rev. Canon Darling, B.D., who officiated, was assisted by the Rev. T. E. B. Benson, B.A.

MR. C. H. MCMAHON AND MISS M. O'DOHERTY

The wedding took place at the Parish Church, Lagg, Malin, with Nuptial Mass and Papal Blessing, of Charles Heber McMahon, F.R.C.P.I., 22 Merrion square, Dublin, son of Mr. Neil McMahon and the late Mrs. McMahon, Rexdon, Sandymount avenue, Ballsbridge, and Margaret, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick O'Doherty, Cross Roads Hotel, Malin Head, County Donegal.

The Rev. J. O'Brien, P.P., who officiated, was assisted by the Very Rev. J. O'Doherty, President, St. Columb's College, Derry; the Rev. T. McConnellogue, P.P., Bellaghy; the Rev. P. Monagle, C.C., Derry; the Rev. P. Mulholland, C.C., Malin, and the Rev. P. J. McHugh, C.C., Malin Head.

Miss Margaret O'Kane (cousin of the bride) was bridesmaid, and Lieut. E. P. Bolger was best man.

Mr. Cathal O'Shannon was incorrectly described as Secretary of the Dublin Trade Union Congress in our issue of Saturday. He is, of course, Secretary of the Irish Trade Union Congress.



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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

AN APPEAL FOR PEACE

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—In the month when men are praying at every hearth and altar in Ireland for early peace, the Cardinal Primate has appealed for negotiations to end the war. If we have been spared such sufferings as our neighbours are enduring so patiently, surely there is a moral obligation on us to use our privileged position in some grateful way. As other nations use their arms, could we not use our neutrality for the common good?

You justly said in a recent leading article that the tragedy of Europe has been the fundamentally unnecessary feud between England and Germany. The world is big enough for the rightful ambitions of both, and needs what both can give; but this fateful quarrel has set Europe aflame, and now threatens to destroy the last of Europe's cities.

Everyone expects that the close of the Russian campaign will be the signal for the long-anticipated and titanic trial of strength between the principals. There will be a short pause, and then, unless some God-sent intervention averts it, the entire aerial forces will be hurled mutually against the cities of Britain and Germany on a scale that will beggar last year's battle of Britain. Whatever the outcome, the suffering must be unimaginable and unprecedented, and the ruin must be beyond all repair.

Since air war does not produce final decisions, this terrific duel can yield to neither side results commensurable with the sacrifice—the sacrifice of a vast civilised fabric which really belongs to all of us, whatever our nationality, within the common European heritage. To that extent it is vain and unnecessary. Why, then, must it come? Because of the tragic inevitability of either side, while still strong and proud, taking the lead to offer or grant peace to the other. Cannot a neutral take on her to give that lead by an appeal to both on the ground of humanity and the common interests of civilisation?

Ireland's past relations with England and her present neutrality, whatever else may be said about them, surely give her a fortunate prerogative. She can plead for peace more disinterestedly than others. Can she not do so through her secular head?

I suggest that people who are of this mind should sign, in every district, a simple letter to the President of Ireland, saying that he would express their will and mind if he would appeal to the two great principals, before a deadly aerial struggle is undertaken, to make a great sacrifice in the interests of humanity and consent to submit their respective demands to an impartial tribunal—one exists in the Vatican—in order that one last great effort may be made to secure a just settlement otherwise than by this hideous impending conflict in the west.
—Yours, etc.,

"PACIFICUS."

Dublin, October 16th, 1941.

THE SOLDIER'S ALLOWANCES

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—The Department of Defence has just supplied me with a piece of information which merits public attention. It is this: If a soldier who joined up for the duration gets married after March 13th last, his wife and any children they may have are entitled to no maintenance allowance whatsoever!

The case which brought this amazing regulation to my notice is that of a soldier's wife whom the Corporation desires to evict because she owes 18s. arrears of a 4s. 6d. rent. Her husband is only able to give her 10s. a week from his salary.

The crime of marriage will inevitably lead to the Union for many wives and families of the members of the Defence Forces. Surely the Government is not really going to allow this intolerable position to continue "for the duration"?—Yours, etc.,

OWEN SHEEHY SKEFFINGTON.

Dublin, October 16th, 1941.

"THE LOT OF WORKLESS"

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Your article in Saturday's issue should stir our hearts to the need of the poor at our doors, and your paper certainly deserves real thanks for the unceasing efforts it makes on behalf of the needy and destitute.

Here is one way we might help the poor this winter: Appeal to the public to surrender a small portion of coal (say, one bag for every two ton of coal) that they have been able to collect owing to their financial position. As well as this, if every householder whose use of candles is not essential would offer to give them up, thousands could be collected, and, I think, many people would welcome this opportunity of small sacrifice.

Perhaps some kind society, such as the Mount Street Cub or Red Cross, would offer to receive and distribute. The transport of the coal to the distribution area could be undertaken individually and should not prove difficult.
—Yours, etc.,

"H. M."

Donnybrook, October 19th, 1941.

DAVY BYRNE

TRADITION TO REMAIN

Neither he nor his brother had any intention of changing the literary and artistic tradition of Davy Byrne's, said Mr. Michael Doran on Saturday. Mr. Doran, new owner of the famous hostelry, is managing director of Doran's, Ltd., 90 Marlborough street.

The statement that the Davy Byrne tradition would be "smashed wide open" was an inaccuracy which had been accepted by our reporter as emanating from the head of the firm. Actually, said Mr. Doran, this statement had been made by an unauthorised person.

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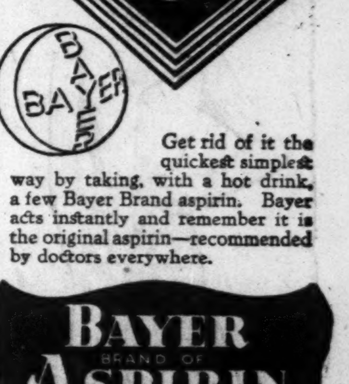


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FINE GAEL MEETINGS

Mr. W. T. Cosgrave, leader of the United Ireland Party, will address a series of public meetings through the country. The first of these meetings will be held at Dun Laoghaire Town Hall to-night at 8 o'clock.

Dr. Thomas O'Higgins and Mr. H. M. Dockrell will also speak at this meeting.

BERLIN, Sunday.—The French Minister of Justice has deprived of French nationality 100 persons who were naturalised before the war. According to the German News Agency, a number of the names are Jewish.—(Reuter.)

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Association Football

See-Saw in Remarkable Match at Cork

DUNDALK retained their unbeaten record in the Shield when they defeated Limerick at Oriel Park yesterday. For once, Byrne, the Limerick centre-forward, failed to score, and he was well held by Leathem. The Dundalk forwards were smarter on the ball, and more accurate in their shooting.

Ten goals were scored in a remarkable match at Cork, where both teams engaged in goal-getting spells. Shelbourne, from being two down shortly after the start of the second half, led 4-2, but this was during a period when Foley was absent through injury. When the goalkeeper returned, Cork took charge of the game, and in the last twelve minutes rammed home four goals to make their total six. O'Reilly was their chief scorer.

For an hour Bray Unknowns kept their goal intact against Shamrock Rovers at Milltown, but the Rovers went right ahead once Doherty had opened their account.

Drumcondra had an easy victory over Brideville at Harold's Cross, and St. James's Gate suffered their second successive defeat from Bohemians at Dalymount Park on Saturday.

Results and scorers:—

Dundalk, 3; Limerick, 1. Barlowe and Lavery (2) for Dundalk; Drain for Limerick.

Cork United, 6; Shelbourne, 4. O'Reilly (4) and McCarthy (2) for Cork; Bradshaw (2) and Keely (2) for Shelbourne.

Shamrock Rovers, 3; Bray Unknowns, 0. Doherty, Cochrane, and Dunne scored.

Brideville, 1; Drumcondra, 4. Cullen for Brideville; O'Rourke (3) and O'Brien for Drumcondra.

Bohemians, 2; St. James's Gate, 0. Fullen (penalty) and McGrane scored.

Table to date:—

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Goals. F.	Goals. A.	Pts.
Dundalk	6	5	1	0	19	10	11
Shamrock Rovers	6	4	1	1	19	12	9
Limerick	6	3	1	2	25	16	7
Bohemians	6	3	1	2	17	8	7
St. James's Gate	6	3	1	2	10	10	7
Cork United	6	3	0	3	19	17	6
Drumcondra	6	2	1	3	10	15	5
Shelbourne	6	2	0	4	13	20	4
Bray Unknowns	6	2	0	4	10	16	4
Brideville	6	0	0	6	5	23	0

BYRNE FAILS TO SCORE

By defeating Limerick at Oriel Park yesterday Dundalk gave themselves a chance of winning this year's Shield competition, in which they are the only unbeaten side. The biggest crowd of the season attended, the appearance of Byrne, the Limerick high-scoring leader, being a magnet. Byrne, though he failed to score, was a very useful leader, but he was closely held by Leathem, who played his best game of the season. Dundalk won because their wing-halves, Donnelly and Lunn, were more constructive than their opponents, and because the whole Dundalk forward line shot stronger and better than did the Limerick attack. A nasty cross-wind militated against clever football, but the Dundalk inside players were too clever for the Limerick defenders, and gave their colleagues plenty of scoring chances. After 18 minutes Donnelly sent Barlowe away with a clever pass, and the winger, beating McNamara and Powell, gave Harrington no chance with a strong shot. Dundalk were in luck when a pass from Byrne brought Matier out, and the goal-keeper kicked the ball as the centre was preparing to shoot. Powell made a great save, when Grice dashed through and shot low. From a corner kick taken by Barlowe, Lavery shot into the top of the net for Dundalk's second goal.

Limerick played better football at the opening of the second half, and reduced the arrears. Matier had dashed out to beat Byrne to a ground ball, but the ball went over his arm, and Drain rushed in to score. Drain directly afterwards made a wonderful effort to equalise when he beat two opponents, and then shot away from Matier, who, however, made the best save of the match by pushing the ball just clear of the upright. Ten minutes from the end Harrington only partly cleared a strong drive by McCartney, and Lavery followed up to score. Dundalk kept the upper hand to the end, and Harrington deserved the hearty cheer given him when he pulled down a close-in drive by McCartney two minutes from full time.

ROVERS HELD FOR AN HOUR

For more than an hour Bray Unknowns' defence held out against the heavy and persistent attacks of Shamrock Rovers, and when at last Doherty scored it must have been a relief to the home team's supporters. It seemed as if the Rovers' forwards would never beat the Bray goalkeeper, Roche, who up to then gave a first-class display. Indeed, in the first quarter of an hour of the second half he brought off almost a dozen saves. That goal of the Rovers' inside-right, however, completely altered the whole game from the Unknowns' point of view. In another five minutes Cochrane, with a grand left-footer, scored the second, and eight minutes from the end Dunne, who had been a sore thorn in the side of the Bray defence, got a very brilliant third with his head.

Bray Unknowns made a gallant attempt to save a point. They at no time looked like taking both, as their forwards, except the right wing pair, Doran and Dunne, were more or less tied up by the Rovers' backs. Their defence was really excellent, and with a few cleverer forwards they would have made it a most interesting game. Carroll, Kavanagh and McIntyre were given in the programme, but they were absent from the Bray forward line, their places being taken by O'Reilly, Mullen and McMullen. The five played much too closely together, and often were running into each other; but the Rovers' forwards also had their shortcomings, and half-backs and forwards failed repeatedly to turn the best of scoring chances to account. The home side has seldom had to fight so hard for the lead, but once they had taken it there was no doubt as to the result, although the Bray men never gave in.

In the first half each side played some very good football; but the match generally was a scrambling one, even though it was fast and keen. That the Rovers did not turn over with a good lead was due to the sturdiness of Gorman and Feenan; but the player who saved Bray from a heavier reverse in the second half was the goalkeeper, Roche.

TEN GOALS AT CORK

Scoring four goals in the last twelve minutes, Cork United defeated Shelbourne 6-4 at the Mardyke yesterday in a game that matched a Cup final for excitement. A remarkable feature was the manner in which the scores were piled up during the second period. At the interval Cork led by a goal to nothing, and after changing ends they added a second. Then came the fireworks. Within the space of five or six minutes Shelbourne netted four times when Foley had retired injured, but when Foley returned Cork turned the tables, and in a confident finish they ran up four more goals, one being a penalty.

Despite its exciting second half, the game did not provide football of a high standard. O'Reilly, the Cork winger, struck wonderful form in the second period, and bagged four of the goals. McCarthy was also very good, and McKenna, Duffy, McGowan and Hooks were best of the others. Bradshaw, O'Driscoll and Keely were Shelbourne's best forwards, Fallon was clever at centre-half, and the defence, except in the scoring riot towards the finish, was very sound.

O'ROURKE SCORES THREE GOALS

Dull fare was served up by Drumcondra and Brideville at Harold's Cross yesterday, where the visitors emerged winners by 4 goals to 1. Drumcondra were the better team and played well together, whereas Brideville played as individuals. Brideville had plenty of chances, but in front of goal the forwards showed a hesitancy which nullified all the approach work. Brideville scored first, but when Drumcondra equalised they faded out, and were fighting a losing battle to the finish.

Webster was safe in goal for Brideville, with Shields, McCarthy and Cullen good in defence. Carroll, Smyth and Dunne were the best of the forwards. Doherty (goal), Douglas and Clarke were the pick of the Drumcondra defence and McNamara, O'Brien and O'Rourke the best forwards.

Drumcondra were away first and forced a corner, which was cleared by Shields. Carroll at the other end had a good shot saved by Doherty, who just after had to save another hot shot, this time from Dunne. O'Rourke and O'Brien brought the ball up to McNamara, but Webster saved brilliantly at full length. The first score came after thirty minutes, when Dunne was taken down in front of goal, and Cullen scored from the penalty kick. Four minutes later McNamara sent through O'Rourke, who beat Webster to equalise. Three minutes after the interval O'Brien scored, and twelve minutes late: O'Rourke made it 3-1. Ten minutes from time O'Rourke flashed in his third goal.

SPEEDY BOHEMIAN FORWARDS

At times the speed and ground passing of the Bohemian forwards put the sturdy St. James's Gate backs right off their balance, but their finish often lacked polish and many scoring chances were frittered away. Fullen led the line, instead of Crowe, who is laid up injured, and his quick thinking and crisp passing to McGrane and Morris led to many onslaughts on the visitors' goal, and if Bohemians' only reward in the first half was a penalty goal for a clear case of hand ball against Noonan after twenty-two minutes, scored by Fullen, St. James's Gate could consider themselves fortunate that Murtagh got off so lightly. The Crumlin team up to half-time were outpaced, and, to counteract the fleetness of foot of the amateurs, they had to hit the ball hard, mostly to the right wing, Bonner and Rogers, who, however, had a handful in Horlacher and Kerr. The home left half-back was everywhere, and that Bohemians were so frequently on the attack in the first half, and held out so resolutely in the second, when St. James's Gate staged a recovery that threatened to overwhelm the opposition, was due in the main to these two stout-hearted backs. Landers, the Bohemian goalkeeper, often came into prominence in each half. One save of his from Matthews, who drove through a bunch of players in front of him, won the game for Bohemians.

St. James's Gate played like a team that had gone stale. When opportunities for scoring did come their way in the shape of "sitters" they could not accept them. Landers was by no manner of means a spectator; he dealt with some grand shots in his best style, but St. James's Gate's inside forwards had quite as many simple-looking chances as Bohemians. The match should have yielded a lot of goals instead of only two.

Whether Gaughan, in the visitors' front line, would have put more life into the visitors' attack is problematical. Stokes was in the centre, Rogers was inside to Bonner on the right, and Rogers's place at inside-left was taken by Smith. Anyway, there was little cohesion in the Gate's forward movements, but no fault could be found with backs or half-backs.

Gold Cup.—Belfast Celtic 1, Glentoran 3; Derry City 4, Linfield 0; Distillery 2, Cliftonville 1.

Gaelic Games

Narrow Victory For U.C.D.

(By PAT'O.)

U.C.D. .... 2-5 Civil Service ... 2-4

The re-formed U.C.D. team had to fight every inch of the way to reach the League final at the expense of Civil Service. Despite a high wind, we had an abundance of good football at Parnell Park. Civil Service backs played heroically against heavy pressure in the first quarter, and Murphy, Moore and O'Shea kept their goal clear before Rickard burst through for two good goals at the sixteenth minute. Smith, Gilvary and Devlin added points, and U.C.D. were 10 points clear when Smith scored a brace of minors. Civil Service rallied after 20 minutes, and Falvey drove a fast ground ball to Tanzy, who shot an easy goal. A point from Dalton set the score 2-4 to 1-1 at the change of ends.

With wind to aid in the second half, Civil Service were busy at once. Buckley and Moriarty had points, and a fast goal by Quigley set the score 2-4 to 2-3. In a rousing finish Meehan pointed for U.C.D. from a free, and Service were unlucky in several late attacks before Buckley registered.

McDermotts ..... 1-12 St. Josephs 1-5

Fielding a powerful fifteen of inter-county players, Sean McDermotts ran up a goal and eight points with the wind in the first half. O'Connor, Banks, Kerr and Boylan were the principal contributors. O'Sullivan goaled for St. Josephs on the resumption, and a close finish looked likely when Mulhall, Green and Macken notched points. McDermotts collected themselves for a late effort, and good combination between Banks, O'Connor and Kerr brought necessary points.

KERRY WIN AFTER EXTRA TIME

After extra time at Galway yesterday Kerry defeated Galway by 3-4 to 1-7 in a match in aid of the Mayor's Fuel Fund. After being level at the end of the hour at 1-4 for Galway to 2-1 for Kerry, the teams played a further ten minutes each way. With five minutes to go Galway led by two points, but a goal and two points in quick succession for Kerry left them winners.

BIRMINGHAM MOTOR QUOTATIONS

Friday's closing prices:—Albion Drop Forgings, 7/9; Albion Motor, 42/6; Alvis, 3/10½; Austin A Ord., 17/3; do. 6 p.c. B Pref., 28/3; do. Prefd. 20 p.c., 26/6; Birmed Industries, 64/9; B.S.A., 21/9; Bluemel, 23/6; Brett's Stamping, 51/-; British Piston, 12/3; Brockhouse, 51/6; Brown Bros., 48/6; Clifford Components, 5/7½; Cornercroft, 6/-; Crossley, 5/9; Dennis, 21/6; Deritend Stamping, 18/-; Dunlops, 36/1½; Enfield, 19/6; Fisher and Ludlow, 26/3; Elswick Hopper, 3/3; Fodens, 17/9; Ford, 23/9; Guy, 2/-; Halford Cycle 54/3; Harper, 42/-; Heenan and Froude, 7/9; Hughes Johnson, 72/6; Humber Prefd., 12/6; Leyland, 70/-; Lucas, 59/6; Maudslay, 5/3; Meadows, 14/9; Morris, 31/6; Moss Gear, 11/7½; Mulliner's Holdings, 1/-; Napier, 6/3; New Hudson, 39/-; Perfecta Equipments, 9/6; Perry, 27/6; Pressed Steel, 19/9; Raleigh, 62/9; Renold and Cov. Chain, 35/-; Rolls Royce, 79/9; Rovers 16/3; S.S. Cars, 6/7½; Serck Radiators, 68/- x.d.; Singer, 2/10½; Smith Defd., 6/10½; Smith's Stamping, 27/9; Standard 15/6 Sun Cycle, 2/9; Tilling, 45/6; Triplex, 26/6; Tube Investments, 91/7½; Villier's Engineering, 27/- x.d. AIRCRAFT—Boulton Paul, 2/7½; Bristol, 10/9; Fairey, 13/3; Hawker Siddeley, 12/10½; Hobson Components, 8/9; Parnall, 4/4½.

LISBON, Sunday.—Purchase of foodstuffs is understood to be the purpose of an economic mission from the Vatican, which has arrived here.—(Reuter.)

FOOD AND PRODUCE MARKETS

CATTLE.

CARLISLE.—The ban on the importation of store cattle from Ireland will be lifted from Monday, 27th October. So far, no arrangements have been made for the re-opening of the Irish cattle market, as cattle from Ireland must go direct to farms for ten days' detention and isolation.

DONCASTER.—Fair show; good demand for dairy cattle. Best cows £68, calving heifers £40 to £50. Small supply of English stores. Three-year bullocks to £30, two years to £26, younger £12 to £16. Light show of sheep. Ewes 80/- to 90/-, lambs 50/- to 70/-, sucking pigs 22/- to 30/-, stores to 70/-.

PROVISIONS.

DUBLIN VEGETABLE.—Cabbage in small supply on Saturday, with opening sales good, but as the morning wore on prices eased. Other classes just sufficient to clear inside previous values. York cabbage, large £0/- to 50/-, small 6/- to 20/- load; Swedes, 3/- to 3/6 per cwt.; lettuce 1/- to 2/-, cauliflowers 1/6 to 2/6, seconds 6d. to 10d. dozen; beet 1/- to 1/6, carrots 1/- to 2/6 dozen bundles; parsnips, 5/- to 7/- bag; turnips, 4d. to 8d. bunch; mushrooms 3/- to 8/-, parsley 6d., sprouts 1/6 to 2/-, and blackberries 3/- to 4/- chip.

DUBLIN FISH.—Light offerings included 10 boxes lobsters and a sprinkling from country and local senders. Demand equal to an early clearance at—Lobsters, 7/6 to 28/- per 13; soles (black) 1/3 to 2/4, turbot 1/4 to 1/10, brill 1/2 to 1/5 per lb.; plaice 50/- to 87/-, cod 40/- to 50/-, and whiting 20/- to 30/- box.

DUBLIN POTATO.—Fair supplies, with demand good at late rates. British Queens, Arran Chiefs and Kerr's Pinks 5/6 to 6/-, other varieties 5/- per cwt.

GRIMSBY FISH.—Plaice and lemon soles, 15/-; hake, 9/6; dabs, 15/-; haddocks, spragg, codling, coalfish, and dogfish (heads on), 7/-; skinned (headless) dogfish, 14/-; smoked haddocks, 14/6; skinned smoked fillets, 22/9 per stone.

COMPANY NEWS

Benger's Food.—Profit, £23,171 (against £30,848). Final 7¼ per cent., making 10 per cent. (same).

Bukit Pulai Rubber.—Profit, £11,845 (against £14,152). Dividend, 4 per cent. (against 6 per cent.).

Cornercroft.—Net profit £23,948 (against £28,750). Dividend 15 per cent. (same).

Electrical Finance and Securities.—Interim of 4 per cent. (same).

Henry Freedman.—Net profit, £14,706 (against £10,978). Dividend, 10 per cent. (same) and bonus, 4 per cent. (against nil).

Harrisons and Crosfields.—Profit, £350,161 (increase about £100,000). Dividend on the Deferred is again 25 per cent. The total payment on the manangement shares is also unchanged at £77,500. Total provision for taxation amounts to over £500,000.

Juru Estates.—Trading profit, £12,902 (against £8,243). Dividend, 5 per cent. (same).

Kelly and Kelly.—Net loss year, £5,249 (against profit, £368).

Montague Burton Shop Properties.—Net profit, £6,712 (against £12,873). No dividend on Ord.

Renong Tin.—Final of 7½ per cent., making 12½ per cent. (against 20 per cent.). Gross profit, £94,412 (decrease, £24,129).

Sir Isaac Pitman and Sons.—Net profit, £18,593 (against £21,913 loss). Dividend on Preferred, 5 per cent. (against nil).

Second Broadmount Trust.—Net revenue, £8,094. Final of 5½ per cent. on Deferred, making 10 per cent., compared with 9½ per cent.

WASHINGTON, Sunday.—The U.S. Defence Supplies Corporation has bought 176,000,000 pounds of Australian wool from Britain, and has agreed to take 125,000,000 pounds of South African wool.—(Reuter.)

STOCK EXCHANGE FEATURES

WAR NEWS RESTRAINS BUSINESS

FROM OUR LONDON FINANCIAL CORRESPONDENT.

IN view of the steady deterioration that occurred towards the end of last week in the Russian military situation in the Moscow sector, Stock markets presented a remarkably steady appearance. Apart from Japanese Bonds, which were marked down on the changes in Japan's Government, there was no sharp decline in prices, and in the Gilt-edged group current quotations are not much below the highest of the war period.

Business, naturally, came almost to a standstill, but once again holders have not been frightened into selling stock, so that the market supply has not been appreciably increased, which means that, in the event of better war news, there would be a quick market rebound. One sustaining influence at present is the prospective addition to the funds available for investment through the calling up of South African security by the Treasury. Incidentally, regret may be expressed that of the four loans affected by this Vesting Order two are to be paid off some years before the earliest redemption date.

One of these is the Union of South Africa Government 5 per Cent. Stock, 1945-75, the quoted amount of which is £22,629,826, and the fact that holders will receive £107 5s. 2d. for each £100 nominal of stock may not be considered sufficient compensation for parting with the right to hold the stock for another four years.

RECOVERY STOCKS

Reference was made last week to the possibility of an appreciation in Argentine Railway Debenture stocks. It is believed that economic conditions in Brazil have undergone a considerable improvement in recent months, thus increasing the speculative attractions of some of the Railway securities. Even more than Argentine descriptions, these show a severe depreciation, thus giving plenty of scope for a rise in prices when the position improves.

Leopoldina 4 per cent. Debenture stock, for example, stands at about 28, which means that if, and when, the company is no longer compelled to seek an arrangement with holders a present buyer would obtain an investment yielding fully 14 per cent. The report of this company for the year 1940 shows some improvement in the position, largely because of the better exchange rate that ruled, but the debit balance was increased to £1,315,634.

San Paulo (Brazil) Railway Debenture stocks can be more properly ranked as investment securities, for not only is the Preference dividend of this company met in full, but a moderate distribution is maintained on the Ordinary Stock. The permanent 4 per cent. Debenture stock is quoted about 60 to yield 6⅔ per cent., and the similar 5 per cent. issue at about 68 to return over 7¼ per cent.

It may seem rather curious that the 5 per cent. Red. Debenture promises much less, for this is quoted round 91, at which the yield is less than 5½ per cent. This figure can be justified by the fact that a present buyer expects to be repaid at 100 in 1971 or at 102 if redeemed earlier on or after January 1, 1943. Allowing for this, the yield is increased considerably.

The chief effect of the latest war news from the Russian front was to restrain Stock Exchange business, more particularly of the speculative kind. In various sections of late an almost steady investment inquiry is in evidence which may have more effect upon market values later on, but, generally speaking, speculative operators are more reluctant to commit themselves. Occasionally, however, there is a fairly lively market for Mining and Oil shares. It is fairly safe to say that present conditions will continue for some time to come.

There is no reason to sell stock, certainly not sound securities, which may reasonably be expected to appreciate when the outlook is brighter, and people who hesitate to buy because they think prices may reach a considerably lower level may be doomed to disappointment.

With the introduction of a new series of 2½ p.c. National War Bonds more attention is being given to the question of war savings generally, and particularly the contribution in the shape of purchases of Savings Certificates and Defence Bonds and additions to savings bank deposits. As yet the target of £15,000,000 a week aimed at by the Chancellor of the Exchequer for small savings has not been reached, but of late there has been some improvement, and it is to be hoped that this will be more marked in the near future.

The contributions of institutional investors in the shape of purchases of 3 p.c. Savings Bonds and the new 2½ p.c. War Bonds are satisfactory, and this aspect of the matter gives little concern because, in effect, the ability of the banks, for example, to subscribe to new War Loans is increased automatically through the growth in deposits.

BANK FIGURES

At the end of last month the aggregate deposits of the eleven London clearing banks amounted to the new high record of £3,114,500,000, a total nearly £518,000,000 larger than at the end of September, 1940. Because of this growth these banks in a period of twelve months have been able to raise their six months' loans to the Government against Treasury deposit receipts from £90,500,000 to £531,000,000, and to add £242,000,000 to their investments.

Against these movements there is a decrease of £110,600,000 in the aggregate advances and of £86,200,000 in the bills discounted—mostly Treasury bills. These figures clearly show the important part which the banks can play in the war effort.

The investments at the end of September amounted to £939,300,000, a high record, and an amount £113,000,000 in excess of the advances. It virtually follows that so long as Government expenditure continues on something like the present scale the ability of the banks to take up new War Loans will continue to increase.

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THIS WEEK'S AUCTIONS OF FURNITURE AND FINE ARTS

TUESDAY.

"Ardlui," Newtown Park, Blackrock (James H. North and Co.).

"Carahor," Shrewsbury road, at 110 Grafton street (James H. North and Co.).

4 De Vesci Gardens, Lr. Glenageary road, Dun Laoghaire (John Thornton and Co.).

WEDNESDAY.

"Seafield," Dublin road, Sutton (Thos. Dockrell and Sons).

GAINS ON WALL STREET

MARKET VIEW OF ADVANCE

NEW YORK, Saturday.—Encouraged by yesterday's rally, stock prices reached moderately higher, with light gains general in fairly active dealings. The turnover totalled 300,000 shares, comprising 599 issues, of which 376 advanced and 83 declined.

Murmurings of inflation and the possibility very soon of intervention by the Office of Production Management in strikes in defence works, contributed to the recovery. At the same time, the upturn in face of the current uncertainties and alarms, is viewed with significance, and is regarded as denoting an improved line of resistance.

Nevertheless, caution remains the keynote; and Japanese policies, though momentarily regarded as not so foreboding, need clarifying.

Rubbers, Rails, Oils, Utilities, Motors and Minings were supported; while gains ranging to a point were recorded by the Industrials, Aircrafts, Coppers, Chemicals Shipbuildings, and Steels.

The close was firm.—(Reuter.)

	Sat.	Fri.
Call Money	1%	1%
London Cables	—	4.03¾
Montreal Cables	—	4.54¼

Parity.	Stocks.	Closing Bid Sat.	Closing Bid Fri.
4⅝	Baltimore and Ohio	3¾	3⅝
5⅞	Canadian Pacific	4¾	4½
81½	Louisville and Nashville	65¾	65¾
13¾	N.Y. Central	11⅛	11
238½	Norfolk and W. Common	192½	192½
27¼	Pennsylvania	22	21⅝
19 3/16	Reading	15⅛	14¾
14¾	Southern Pacific	11⅞	11¾
20 7/16	Southern Railway	16½	16¼
91½	Union Pacific	73¾	73¾
	INDUSTRIALS.		
187 1/16	Allied Chemical	151	151
—	American Locomotive	—	—
—	American Metal	—	—
103¾	American Can	83¾	82¼
47 1/16	American Smelting	38	37¾
188 3/16	American Tel. and Tel.	151⅞	151
32 1/16	Anaconda Copper	25⅞	25⅜
76 11/16	Bethlehem Steel	61⅞	60¾
—	Case (J. L.)	—	—
68¾	Chrysler Corporation	55½	54¼
166	Eastman Kodak	134	134
35 13/16	General Electric	28⅞	28⅝
49 1/16	General Motors	39⅝	39⅜
34 1/16	International Nickel	27½	27¼
2 13/16	Do. Tel. and Tel.	2¼	2¼
41 13/16	Kennecott Copper	33¾	35¼
4 5/16	Radio Corporation	3½	3½
16¼	Shell Union	13⅛	13⅛
29 7/16	U.S. Rubber	23¾	23
64 5/16	U.S. Steel Common	51⅞	51¼
147½	Do. Preferred	119⅝	119½
38¾	Woolworth	30¼	30
—	Silver Com. Bars	—	34¾
7 5/16	Brazilian Traction	5⅞	5¾
11⅛	B.A. Tobacco Coupon	9	9
	BONDS.		
—	U.S. Treas. 3¾% '45-56.	—	—
10 13/16	7% German Ext. Loan	8¾	8¾

† Ex dividend.

MONTREAL EXCHANGE

Eng. Equiv.	Stocks.	Closing Bid Sat.	Closing Bid Fri.
8⅝	Brazilian Traction	7¾	7¾
26	B.C. Power "A"	23¼	23¼
1 15/16	B.C. Power "B"	1.75	1.75
29 1/16	Canadian Celanese	26	26
7	Canadian Pacific	6¼	6
13 11/16	Imperial Tobacco	12¼	12⅛
38 5/16	International Nickel	34¼	34
17 1/16	Shawinigan Water	15¼	15¼

MANCHESTER PROVISIONS

SHORT SUPPLY OF IRISH BACON

The general tone in all sections of the Manchester Provision Market continues firm. According to a high authority, Britain is to have a greater variety of diet in the third year of the war than in the second, because less wheat need be imported, and extra shipping space can be devoted to more attractive foods. It is also reported that "black market" transactions are being successfully checked by a new regulation requiring every trader in price controlled goods to deliver an invoice to the buyer giving particulars. Once it is established that a deal has been done action can be taken against the parties if the invoices are not produced. This puts a brake on transactions which may take place on "spot cash" terms.

There is no falling off in demand for bacon. Allotments are made up mainly of Canadian sides and cuts and United States cuts in about equal proportions. Eirean and Northern Irish cures are in very short supply.

There is a ready outlet for the new fortnightly issue of butter, and distribution on the two ounce ration basis is proceeding steadily.

Eggs continue scarce and firm. After November 17th certain classes of people are to receive four eggs per allocation instead of one, and retailers have been informed that after that date they will receive a ten per cent. increase on their present supply.

Increased supplies of fat cattle were entered for grading at Mode Wheel, the Government collecting centre. The majority of the animals were fat cows, and quality fairly satisfactory. Ample supplies of meat have been available throughout the week.

Game and dead poultry continues to arrive in very limited supply, and prices are well maintained. Pheasants quoted 8/- to 15/-, grouse 4/- to 10/6, partridge 4/- to 8/- per brace. Best chickens, fowls and ducks at controlled price of 1/7 per lb., brown hares 7/-, mountain 3/6 each, rabbits 9½d. per lb. (wholesale).

BIG CALL ON BANKS

Subscriptions to the new British War Bonds have enabled a further reduction to be made in deposit receipt borrowing. The Treasury has called on the banks to lend £50,000,000 this week, as compared with £40,000,000 nominal of maturities, whereas last week the respective figures were £60,000,000 and £40,000,000. The Government will, however, obtain more from the sale of Treasury Bills, as the £75,000,000 placed by tender on Friday exceed the corresponding maturities by £30,000,000, so that the Treasury will receive at least £15,000,000 of "new money" during this week.

Film Notes

And The Band Played On

By Our Cinema Correspondent.

I WENT to the film at the Savoy this week mainly to discover what exactly a **Strawberry Blonde** happens to be. I still have not the remotest idea, but I thoroughly enjoyed the attempt to find out.

The scene is somewhere in America, the time somewhere in the Gay 'Nineties, and there is a delightful atmosphere of boaters, bloomers and bustles about everything. James Cagney and Jack Carson are "comrades," but the latter manages to get the best of everything, and when two dainty damsels trip along Jack Carson gets the "strawberry blonde" (Rita Hayworth), while James Cagney has to make do with a free-thinker (Olivia de Havilland). After several years of married life, and five years in prison—to explain how that happened would be to spoil the film—Mr. Cagney realises that, perhaps, he was not the unlucky one after all.

The cast also includes Alan Hale and Una O'Connor, and the atmosphere is most infectious; the theme song—"The Band Played On"—has been in my head for days.

Irish Film Society

On Saturday afternoon the Irish Film Society gave its first show of the year. It was a thoroughly enjoyable evening, and, as well as **White Nights of St. Petersburg,** the programme included a number of "shorts." There was a most interesting "March of Time," a nature study of black-headed gulls, a fascinating little German puppet film and, last but not least, a film without pictures—an example of the projection of drawn sound.

The main film, "White Nights of St. Petersburg," was the story of a Russian violinist, who failed to achieve fame in the way he might have hoped, but who gave to Russia a number of revolutionary songs which stirred the spirits of the political prisoners and kept the flame of revolution burning.

It was rather long-drawn-out and slow-moving in parts, but I suppose, to any high-class cinema fan, the direction and photography would be superb; I just do not know enough about it.

The programme, by the way, was very well attended.

Carlton

It is a pity that **The Face Behind the Mask** should have arrived in Dublin so soon after "A Woman's Face"; it is bound to suffer by comparison, since it is based on the same theme.

Peter Lorre, in the part of a little Hungarian whose face is hopelessly destroyed by fire on his first night in New York, gives a wonderful performance. His career as a criminal in order to get money enough to retain the services of a plastic surgeon, his disappointment when he learns that it is too late to perform the operation, and his short-lived period of happiness when he falls in love with a blind girl, give this grand actor an opportunity to show his versatility. The treachery which causes the death of the blind girl and his subsequent revenge provide a fitting climax to a highly dramatic film.

Also on the programme, Penny Singleton in "Blondie Plays Cupid," which is neither better nor worse than the average "Blondie" film.

Adelphi

South of Suez is a very elaborate, almost melodramatic, sequence of adventures, which starts in a diamond mine in East Africa, and ends in a law court in London. The chief cause of all the trouble is an immense diamond, but subsidiary causes consist of a man who changes his identity half-way through (George Brent), a woman who prefers that man to her own husband (Lee Patrick) and a beautiful young lady who is under the erroneous impression that George Brent killed her father. George Tobias and Eric Blore are also in the cast, and there is not a dull moment in the film.

Also on the programme, there is a light comedy called **Kisses for Breakfast.** Starring Shirley Ross, Dennis Morgan and Lee Patrick again, this film inclines somewhat to the slapstick, but provides a welcome contrast to "South of Suez."

Capitol

Hundreds of G-men have wormed their way into hundreds of underworld roosts in order to catch hundreds of gangster chiefs redhanded. At least 90 per cent. of them have fallen in love with the gangster chief's favourite wife or daughter or sister. But few have performed either operation as thoroughly as Robert Sterling does so in **The Get-away.** He allows himself to be shot, beaten over the head, sent to prison, and heaven only knows what else, just to get his man, and incidentally the sister, who is a newcomer called Donna Reed, and might possibly be worth it. Charles Winniger plays the part of a broken-down, drunken, underworld doctor, and I was really sorry to see him being disposed of. There are a lot of other people disposed of, too, by the way, but if you do not mind the sight of blood you will probably enjoy the film.

Also on the programme, an early Mickey Rooney comedy, re-issued.

Corinthian

When, in a 'bus accident, it is discovered that Dan McCormick (Lon Chaney, Jun.) cannot be electrocuted, that gives nasty Dr. Rigas (Lionel Atwill) an idea. He brings McCormick to his laboratory, pours thousands of volts of electricity into him, and operates him by electrical impulse as a robot. **The Electric Man** is then forced to commit a murder, but naturally the electric chair has no effect on him. Anne Nagel and Frank Albertson are also in the cast, and the climax is as thrilling as it is unexpected.

Also on the programme is "Men of Timberland," a tough adventure story, with those two hearty outdoor boys, Richard Arlen and Andy Devine, getting into difficulties among the Columbian pine trees.

Little Men (Astor). Retained. The story of Auntie Jo's goody-goody school for little ladies and gentlemen. Starring Kay Francis and Jack Oakie, this film is only relieved from the completely mediocre by the latter's performance.

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The Great American Broadcast (Metropole). Also retained. Jack Oakie, Alice Faye and John Payne in one of the best "variety" films of the year, with seven good songs, as many good "turns," and a surprisingly lucid story.

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Nice Girl? (Regal Rooms). Deanna Durbin, bored with life in a typical American small-town, sets about earning for herself a reputation by becoming involved with Franchot Tone and driving through her own town at three o'clock in the morning wearing red pyjamas. She also sings, alas!

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The Lady Eve (Grafton). A really delightful bit of sophisticated nonsense, with Barbara Stanwyck offering the apple and Henry Fonda accepting it.

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Swanee River (Green). Al Jolson and Don Ameche in a romance of the Southland. Also James Dunne in "Two Fisted Gentleman."

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Second Chorus (Pavilion). Fred Astaire forsakes Ginger Rogers and has a lovely time with Paulette Goddard. From Thursday, Margaret Lindsay and Allan Jones in "Magic in Music."

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I Wanted Wings (Theatre De Luxe). Ray Milland, William Holden and Wayne Morris in one of the best propaganda films yet about the American Air Force. From Thursday, John Wayne and Francis Dee in "Citadel of Crime." Also "False Witness."

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The Great Train Robbery (Astoria). Bob Steele and Claire Carlton in a spectacular railroad melodrama. Also Emlyn Williams in "You Will Remember." From Thursday, Dick Foran and Gloria Dickson in "Heart of the North," in technicolor. Also "Phantom Raiders"

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Down Argentine Way (Regent). The best musical for years—in beautiful colour—with Betty Grable and Don Ameche. From Thursday, James Cagney and Ann Sheridan in "City for Conquest."

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Chad Hanna (Queen's). A wonderful story of circus life, in colour, with Henry Fonda, Linda Darnell and Dorothy Lamour.

MESSRS. DOCKRELL'S AUCTIONS

On Wednesday next this firm will dispose of the furniture and effects at Seafield, Dublin road, Sutton, commencing at 12 noon. On Thursday next they will hold their next property auction at their salerooms, South Great George's street, at 1.15 p.m., when they will offer the following:—First-class investment, fee-simple rent of £500 per annum arising out of Nos. 56 and 57 South Great George's street, payable in one collection and leased for 200 years from August, 1926, and Lindville, 20 Mayfield road, Terenure. On Thursday, 30th inst., they will hold another property auction at their salerooms, when they will offer No. 2 Lea Crescent, Lea road, Sandymount.

LISBON, Sunday.—Senhor Manuel Teixeira Gomes, ex-President of Portugal, Ambassador to Britain, 1911-1923, and eminent writer, has died at Bougie, North Africa, aged 69.—(Reuter.)

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